

# Fun for Everyone—This Weekend In Grayling

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### KOZICKI CAPTURES MALE LEAD

## Casting for 'Fiddler on the Roof'

Casting for the production of the Broadway Musical "Fiddler On The Roof" began on January 29 with both the male and female leads of the show being a warded after the first night's auditions. The principal role of Teyve was awarded to Walter Kozicki, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kozicki of Grayling. The main female role was won by Holly Knibbs also of Grayling.

Theatre goers of the Grayling area will probably best remember Mr. Kozicki in the role of Cornelius Hackle in last year's production of "Hello Dolly". Another recent successful role of his was that of Snoopy in last summer's Community Theatre production of "You're A Good Man Charlie Brown". In November of 1973 Walt was a member of the first cast to perform in the new Joseph Stripe Auditorium at the new Grayling High School. In that production of "Plaza Suite" he played the role of Sam Nash and in that performance he and Miss Knibbs, who played the role of Karen Nash, remained on stage for an entire act and held the audience in a manner many professional actors would envy.

Walt made his musical debut

in the 1972 production of "The Sound Of Music" in which he portrayed the role of Rolf Gruber. He has also appeared in "Impromptu" and a variety of one act plays. For the production of "Sound Of Music" and "Hello Dolly" he acted in the capacity of Staff Artist; he also produced the programs for the latter. As well as acting in the lead role of Teyve for "Fiddler On The Roof", he also has the responsibility of designing all of the scenery.

"Fiddler On The Roof" will be produced in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium on Saturday, May 4 in a special premiere performance, followed by performances on May 8, 9, 10, and 11. Casting will continue throughout this week with final selections being made and the cast completed prior to the first rehearsal which is February 13.



Walt Kozicki

## Trout Unlimited Receives More Land Along AuSable River

For the second time in the last several months, Trout Unlimited has been given a large tract of land along Michigan's famous AuSable River. The most recent gift was made by Mrs. Dorothy G. Knight, of Perryburg, Ohio and includes a large portion of her Club Thunderbird property. The property is located on the "Flies Only" water of the AuSable between Stephan and Wakeley Bridges. The gift includes 150 acres and about 4000 feet of stream frontage.

### Saturday Assistance Offered By IRS

Detroit — The Internal Revenue Service offices will be open next Saturday, February 9, to furnish taxpayers in-person assistance with their 1973 Federal tax returns. Assistants will be on duty between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. at all 29 of the permanent IRS offices in Michigan, according to District Director Thomas A. Cardoza.

### Hospital Auxiliary Card Party Feb. 12

Members of the Mercy Hospital Auxiliary will sponsor a dessert luncheon card party at Mercy Hospital North Wing on Tuesday, February 12, from 1 to 4 p.m. — donation \$1.50. Table and door prizes will be awarded.

Please come and support us in this project so that needed equipment can be purchased for our hospital. We ask that reservations be made so that we can serve everyone who wants to come and help. Reservations may be made to Wilma Lude-mann at 345-9633 or Rosalia Matyn, Publicity

Several months ago three members of the Stranahan family, of Toledo, Ohio, gave Trout Unlimited a large tract of land several miles upstream from the land given by Mrs. Knight. Roth parcels have been placed under the management of a special Trout Unlimited Property Management Board which includes local Grayling residents, TU members, educators and natural resource experts. Both properties have been opened to the public for fishing, cross country skiing, hiking and nature study. Certain activities such as camping and the use of motorized recreational vehicles have been prohibited.

A new access road has been constructed for the Stranahan gift land and a new access road for the Knight gift land will be constructed as soon as weather permits. The public is asked not to use the access roads marked with the donors' names as these roads lead to land retained by the donors. The new public access roads will be marked with Trout Unlimited signs.

The Michigan Council of Trout Unlimited has recently appropriated \$5,000 for a stream research project which will be conducted largely on the new Trout Unlimited properties.

### Meeting To Form Jaycee Chapter

On Monday, February 11, at 8:00 p.m. at the Holiday Inn of Grayling, there will be a meeting to form a Jaycee chapter in Grayling.

So if you care about yourself and your community, and are between the ages of 18 and 35, take 30 minutes of your life, and come and hear what it's all about. It may be the best spent 30 minutes of your life. For further information call Jim Breeze in Petoskey, 616-347-7979.

## Riot At Pre-Game Meeting



A riot, later described by Kiwanian and Sheriff Harold Hatfield as "Just a minor disagreement, with injuries," erupted at a pre-game conference held between the Grayling Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs.

The purpose of the meeting was to set the ground rules for the upcoming charity basketball game scheduled between the two bitter adversaries to be held Friday, February 8, at 7:30 p.m. in the Middle School gymnasium.

## GRAYLING'S 49th ANNUAL "WINTER CARNIVAL"

February 8-9-10, 1974

Friday, February 8th.

Student Window Art Displays, Downtown Grayling & Grayling Mall.  
Live Entertainment at Bear Mt. Lodge, Chief Shoppenagons Motor Hotel, Grayling Red Barn, Holiday Inn, Wag-On Inn.

Saturday, February 9th.

11:00 A.M. — Exhibition Skiing, Grayling High School Ski Team at Bear Mt.  
11:00 A.M. — Free Movies at Fred Bear Museum.  
12:00 P.M. — Grayling High School Band, Bear Mt. Recreation Area.  
1:00 P.M. — Official Crowning of Miss Grayling 1974, Bear Mt. Recreation Area.  
1:00 P.M. — Klondike Canoe Race, "Professional", AuSable River, Main Stream, Grayling to Stephan Bridge.  
1:30 P.M. — Bear Mt. Open Ski Races (Registration Deadline: 12:00 noon).  
1:30 P.M. — Parachute Jump at Bear Mt.  
2:00 P.M. — Free Movies, Fred Bear Museum.  
2:00 P.M. — Judging of Student Art Displays.  
4:00 P.M. — Presentation of Awards for Day's Events, Bear Mt. Lodge.  
4:30 P.M. — Preliminaries of Downhill Canoe Race, Bear Mt. Recreation Area. (Registration: 2:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.)  
12:00 Midnight — Torchlight Ski Parade, Bear Mt. Rec. Area.  
Horse-drawn Sleigh Rides by Circle D Riding Stable, Bear Mt. Rec. Area.  
Live Entertainment at Bear Mt. Lodge, Chief Shoppenagons Motor Hotel, Grayling Red Barn, Holiday Inn, Wag-On Inn.

Sunday, February 10th.

9:30 A.M. — Public Snowmobile Safari, Terry's Sales and Service, 4 miles W. of Grayling on M-72. Also parking lot at the Crawford County Building. Trail Brunch at San-Sheri Restaurant enroute, \$2.50 per person, please call Terry's Sales & Service for reservations.  
10:00 A.M. — Cross Country Ski Races, Bear Mt. Recreation Area.  
11:00 A.M. — Free Movies, Fred Bear Museum.  
1:00 P.M. — Costume Obstacle Ski Race, Bear Mt. Rec. Area.  
1:30 P.M. — Parachute Jump at Bear Mt.  
2:00 P.M. — Free Movies, Fred Bear Museum.  
2:00 P.M. — Finals of Downhill Canoe Race, Bear Mt. Rec. Area.  
3:00 P.M. — Presentation of Awards for Day's Events, Bear Mt. Lodge.

### Split In 2 Games Last Week

## Vikes Travel to Petoskey Friday

Following an upset defeat at the hands of the Kalkaska Blue Blazers on Tuesday evening, 79-67, the Vikings roared back on Friday night to take an easy 83-43 win over Rogers City in a Michigan Huron Shores Conference contest.

In other league action, Boyne City tied for the leadership by defeating front-runner Cheboygan, 73-56, with St. Ignace the defending champ, staying in contention by slipping by Charlevoix, 81-78, and Petoskey took the measure of Gaylord, 67-50.

This Friday night the Vikings will be on the road when they invade the land of the Northmen at Petoskey.

Bert Kaiser tossed in 18 points on 9 baskets, in the losing cause against the Blue Blazers, with Wayne Westervelt and Randy Lavrak hitting for 14 each to also be in double figures.

Mark Hanson added 9, Dan McClain and Doug Hinkle 5 each, and Cliff Bonamie with 2, finished out the Vikes scoring.

Doug Fry took game honors as he swished the nets for 29 points in leading Kasky to the win. Also hitting double figures were Jerry Ingorsoll with 16, and Steve McCulley, 13.

The Vikings held a slim 38-36 halftime lead, and then were obliterated by the Blazers, 43-29, in the second half as the visitors

waltzed to victory.

It was a different Vikings squad Friday night when they fell behind Rogers City 15-10 in the first period, but then came back strong in the second to take the lead, 30-23, at intermission. The Vikes kept rolling in the second half with a 33-20 advantage, to take the game going away.

Coach Al Vissia had three players in double figures, with Kaiser hitting for 14, Hanson chipped in with 13, and Westervelt added 10.

They were followed by, McClain with 8, Hinkle and Lavrak (See Basketball on Page 12)

### Social Security Rep. To Be Here Feb. 12

Social Security Representative will be at the Crawford County Court House on Michigan Ave. in Grayling on February 12, from 10:30 A.M. until 2:30 P.M.

The Representative will be there to meet with people who wish to apply for Social Security, supplemental security, for medicare or who have problems or question regarding any of these.

Remember, people who cannot come to the Court House, may call Traverse City District Office at 616-946-8360 for assistance.

### High School Auditorium, Feb. 9th

## Verlin Kruger Presents Travelogue "Cross Continent Canoe Safari"

Verlin Kruger, of DeWitt, Michigan, will present his slide presentation "Cross Continent Canoe Safari," Saturday, February 9, at 7:30 p.m., in the Joseph Stripe auditorium at the new high school.

In 1971, Verlin and his partner, Clint Waddell, from Minnesota, spent 185 days canoeing 7,000 miles across the northern continent from Montreal, Quebec, to the Bering Sea following the old fur traders' routes. Verlin is an avid canoeist and canoe racer. He will be participating in the Klondike Canoe Race

which is part of Grayling's Winter Carnival, February 9, and has donated his time and slides to promote canoeing and canoe racing.

Many folks in the Grayling area who attended the Travelogue "Voyageurs Forever," the story of Verlin's and Clint's adventure will have the opportunity along with others to hear first hand of the trials and adventures of this unusual experience.

Admission tickets are available at the door.

## Mental Health In-Patient Service At Mercy Hospital

Ask someone how their health is and right away you get a spiel about aches, pains, colds and other common ailments, but ask them about their mental health and the reply is often a blank look.

For years a person's mental

health has either been normal or abnormal, and sometimes in a cloud of suspicion. People who live within Wexford, Missaukee, Roscommon and Crawford Counties can now receive mental health services within the home community. These services are

offered through the North Central Michigan Mental Health Services Board. The administrative offices are located in Cadillac in a stately Victorian house two blocks from downtown.

The services offered by the Mental Health Center are not limited to persons suffering from some mental disorder, but for anyone with a problem that is bothering them. Since the inception of the Mental Health Center in March of 1972, there has been a definite decline in the number of persons referred to state institutions due to mental illness or related problems.

In July of 1973, the Mental Health Center increased its staff to 12 full time professional employees, including a part-time psychiatrist. Accompanying the increase of staff was an expansion of programs. There are now five major programs in operation, the direct treatment program, the emergency treatment program, the extended care program, the consultation program, and the mental retardation program. There is now little need for a person to be sent to a state institution when they suffer a mental disorder.

The direct treatment program provides for individual, group, family and marital therapy. Employment counseling is also a function of this program.

According to Roger VanderSchie, Program director, "the primary objective of this service is to minimize the degree of severity of psycho-social dysfunction, and increase the individuals adaptive coping mechanisms;" in other words calm the individual down and help him solve his problem.

"If an individual is experiencing emotional problems and feels he needs help all he has to do is call the Mental Health Center," VanderSchie said. "Often times the intake appointment is taken over the telephone, then the case findings are presented at our diagnostic evaluation staff meeting and the case is assigned to a therapist who then contacts the individual."

The emergency treatment program is one of the major programs at the Center. "The primary objective of this program is to provide immediate treatment to individuals experiencing a severe emotional crisis and to reduce the number of unnecessary admissions to the Traverse City State Hospital," VanderSchie said. "We can treat the majority of the patients."

(See Mental Health on Page 7)



WARREN HATFIELD, Bear Archery Arrow Department Supervisor, accepts an employee appreciation award from Alan E. Beatty, Bear Executive Vice President. Mr. Hatfield was recognized for having recently donated his 50th pint of blood. For those desiring to donate blood the Red Cross Blood Bank will be in Grayling on July 18th at the American Legion. Let's go over our quota of 100 pints. (Steve Sparks Photo)

## Testing For Nursing Program To Be Held At Kirtland

The Pre-Admission and Classification Examination for applicants for the License Practical Nurse Program will be conducted in the Kirtland Auditorium, Saturday, February 16, at 9:00 a.m.

All nursing student applicants must satisfactorily complete the test in order to be considered for the Practical Nurse program, which is scheduled to start next August, 1974.

The "PACE" test is a Pre-Admission Examination endorsed by the National League for Nursing, and takes approximately three hours to complete.

The fee to take the test is \$5.00. Mrs. Freila Beck, Supervisor of Nursing, said, "Thirty-Four students will be accepted in the Practical Nurse Program and student selection by an administrative committee is made on the basis of the test results, recommendations, past school performance, and a personal interview."

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## Prince and Princess Contest

(By Trudy Knipe)

February 11th is the day, Ben Franklin Family Center and Grayling State Bank are the locations for the Prince and Princess Contest, sponsored by the Grayling Co-Op Nursery School. Alike voting boards will be at both places for you to vote for your favorite candidate.

Voting is on a one cent per vote basis — however, you may vote several times — a dime is worth 10 votes and a quarter worth 25 votes.

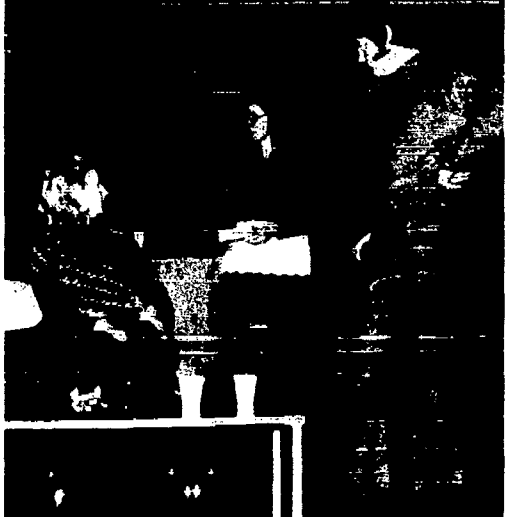
If your favorite candidate hasn't entered you can still get

the entry in postmarked no later than February 8th. Send your child's name, address, phone number, birth date and two small school size pictures to: Cheri Harris, Route 1, Box 2201, Grayling, Mich. 49738, phone 348-8819.

The public is urged to vote. We hope this contest will be a community effort.

CLOSED TUESDAY, FEB. 12 The Grayling State Bank and 1st Savings of Saginaw office will be closed Tuesday, Feb. 12, for Lincoln's Birthday.

### River Country Players To Present Comedy



River Country Players to present hilarious comedy "How Green Was My Brownie" a three act play by Jack Sharkey. Who is going crazy in the Flinder household? Is it Winifred Flinder, supposedly just out of the hospital, who insists she actually spent the two weeks living it up in Paris? Is it Addison Flinder, her husband, who thinks

his wife plans to go into the convent? Is it their daughter Bonnie who suspects both her parents are a bit nuts? Or is it the nurse Maxine Threadgill, who thinks the neighboring piano teacher is a great pediatric surgeon. Whoever it is, when you plunk a group like this down into the heart of Tarrytown, New York, her husband, who thinks

## AuSable Sno-Birds To Sponsor Auction

The AuSable Sno-Birds, of Frederic, are sponsoring an auction with dancing to follow on Saturday, February 9. It will begin at 6 p.m. and last until 7. Follow 612 west approximately three miles to Sno-Bird sign on right. A good time is guaranteed by the AuSable Sno-Birds.

## Pre-Enrollment At Frederic Elementary

The Frederic Elementary School will be pre-enrolling all prospective Kindergartners on Wednesday, February 13, 1974 at 7:30 p.m. in the Frederic Elementary School Cafeteria. If you have a child who will be 5 years old or older by September 1st, 1974, he is eligible to enroll in Kindergarten for the 1974-75 school year. Mrs. McPhail, County Health Nurse; Mrs. McEvers, our Kindergarten teacher and myself will be there to give you the information you need to start your child. It will be a very helpful and informative meeting. We all hope to see you there.

John Skoglund, Principal

## Notice

The Advisory Council meeting which was cancelled from Jan. 31st, is rescheduled for Feb. 7th at 7:30 p.m. in the Gym at the Grayling Elementary School.

## M M Church In Special Effort For Members Attendance

It is no secret that churches often have larger membership rolls than active congregations. It is equally well known that churches trying to increase the size of their active congregations tend to emphasize the gaining of 'new' members, rather than encouraging some of the 'older' members, who no longer attend regularly, to return.

In recognition of this frequent oversight, the members of Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church have set aside the month of February as a time to make a special effort to get all members attending regularly. Highlighting this effort will be:

First, a special nine part series of sermons on the Lord's Prayer, delivered by the Rev. (See M M Church on Page 12)

## Warning


The Artillery Range at Camp Grayling, located North of County Road 612 and South of the North Branch of the AuSable River will be used by National Guard units 5 Feb.-9 Feb. 74 for air to ground range firing.

These ranges will be closed on above dates and all persons are warned to stay out of these areas.

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## Potpourri: Chauvinists arise!

Time once again for one of our infrequent strolls barefoot through the potpourri...

In case you may have missed the news, male chauvinists scored a point out in Iowa recently. At least, somebody is paying attention to the need for male equality.

A group of legislators in Iowa have filed a batch of bills aimed at securing equal rights for men.

They want to create a state Commission on the Status of Men. And they also want to provide by law for the observance of Father's Day in the same way that Iowa law provides for the observance of Mother's Day, with flags flying and all the rest.

"I'm serious," declared State Rep. George Knoke about the bill to establish the Commission on the Status of Men. "I believe in equality."

He said it is unfair for Iowa to maintain a Commission on the

Status of Women, which it has done for years, and not have a similar commission to fight for male equality. Nobly stated.

Right on, Iowa equals.

Almost at the same time, a Michigan group—the Michigan Civil Rights Commission—struck another blow for male equality... I guess.

The commission ordered a big Michigan food chain to stop pestering 57 male employees to whom the company had given an ultimatum—get your hair cut or get fired.

The men offered to wear food nets, as women employees do, but to no avail. They got a court order to stall the haircut-or-leave order, and the whole deal got involved in the Civil Rights Commission's process.

Attorneys for the 57 embattled employees claim the men averaged less hair per head—even with goatees, mustaches and sideburns—than women.

If women can wear long hair and keep their jobs, why can't men do the same, these guys reasoned. The Civil Rights Commission agreed. Why not, indeed?

Lt. Gov. James Brickley sparked few headlines a while back by saying out loud that he thought President Nixon should resign.

Some Republican loyalists immediately barked at Brickley, who explained in defense by expressing "a feeling of betrayal by those in whom I placed my trust and confidence based on my deep conviction about integrity in government."

In addition to citing "essential values" of the Republican party and the necessity for freedom to speak out with deeply held views, Brickley had another comment that especially caught my eye.

"The only thing that bothers me more than the present evidence of

corruption in our federal administration," Brickley wrote, "is the fact that some Republicans are not shocked by it."

How true how true. And how well for somebody to say it.

And let's close this stroll by citing an elder stateswoman (or should we say statesperson?) and expert on the values of American life.

Mae West, described by Associated Press as a onetime sex symbol of the 1920s and 1930s in an interview on the date of her 80th birthday had this observation:

"When I was making pictures, I couldn't even say 'hell' or 'damn' on the screen. The church people watched me like a hawk. Where are the church people today? How can they allow such things as you see on the screen?"

That's a fair question. Mae West. Anyone care to volunteer a fair answer?

Or do we all know the answer, only are reluctant to admit it?

## ALMANACK



Richard Milliman

### TO THE ELECTRIC CUSTOMERS OF CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY NOTICE OF HEARING ON EMERGENCY ELECTRICAL PROCEDURES

On November 21, 1973, Consumers Power Company (Consumers Power) and The Detroit Edison Company (Detroit Edison) filed a joint application with the Michigan Public Service Commission (Commission) for certain emergency procedures to be invoked in the event of shortages of electrical power within the service areas of Consumers Power and Detroit Edison (the Consumers-Edison Area), or in the service areas of other interconnected electric utilities.

On January 28, 1974, the Commission issued an Order in Case No. U-4128 adopting, on an interim basis, the following Emergency Electrical Procedures:

#### EMERGENCY ELECTRICAL PROCEDURES

Emergency procedures may be necessary due to a shortage in available electrical energy generating capacity necessary to meet the demand of Applicants' customers caused by shortage or interruption of supply of fuels for electrical energy generation, unavailability of firm or stand-by power from interconnected electrical networks, short-term shortages of generating capacity caused by temporary equipment failure, unanticipated excessive peak demand or severe weather occurrences, long-term outages or reduction in actual operating levels of generating capacity caused by equipment failure, or short-term excessive peak demand caused by extended weather excesses.

Shortages may be short-term in duration (a few hours) or long-term in duration (more than a few hours). Appropriate procedures shall be implemented depending upon the nature and duration of the shortage.

Emergency procedures shall not apply, unless absolutely necessary, to essential health and safety services such as law enforcement agencies, fire stations, hospitals, essential home-life support equipment, water pumping plants, sewage treatment and disposal facilities and mass communication media services.

In all circumstances requiring the implementation of emergency procedures, the public shall be immediately advised through the appropriate media sources.

In addition to daily reports to the Commission covering estimated and actual peak demand, reserve capacity and fuel status, when it is determined that there will exist for the next following day a predicted net reserve for the Michigan electric coordinated systems of less than 500 megawatts, Consumers Power and Detroit Edison shall by noon of the day of determination confer by telephone with the Commission Staff. In addition, Consumers Power and Detroit Edison shall immediately advise the Commission of the nature, time and duration of all implemented emergency action and shall advise the Commission concurrent with the termination of all emergency conditions and procedures. The Commission may order the implementation of additional procedures or the termination of the procedures previously employed when circumstances so require.

As may be appropriate in accordance with the nature of the occurring emergency, Detroit Edison and Consumers Power shall initiate the following procedures:

#### 1. Sudden or Unanticipated Short-Term Capacity Shortages in Edison-Consumers Service Areas:

In the event of a sudden decline of the frequency on the ECAR system or a sudden breakdown which isolates all or parts of the Consumers-Edison Area from other electric systems with which it is interconnected and which results in the area so isolated being deficient in electric generation, with consequent rapid decline in frequency:

- Automatic load shedding will take place if the decline in frequency is of a magnitude such as to jeopardize the entire Consumers-Edison Area. Ten percent of the area load will be shed automatically at a frequency of 59.3 hertz, followed by an additional fifteen percent of the area load at a frequency of 58.9 hertz as set forth in ECAR Document No. 3 dated October 31, 1968;
- Service so interrupted shall be of selected distribution feeders throughout the Consumers-Edison Area. Such interruptions shall be, where practicable, for short periods of time;
- Insofar as the situation permits, service interruptions shall be in accordance with priority classifications, with interruptions to least essential loads occurring first; every reasonable effort will be made to provide continuous service to essential public facilities such as police stations, fire stations, hospitals, and plants for water pumping, sewerage treatment and sewerage disposal.

(b) If necessary to resynchronize the isolated area or to curtail the decline in frequency, the following steps will be taken in the order noted:

- Service will be interrupted to controlled service loads and to loads rendered service under interruptible tariffs.

- Volage will be reduced not more than six percent.
- Manual load shedding of firm customer loads will be instituted. Service so interrupted shall be of selected distribution feeders throughout the area isolated consistent with Item 1.(a) (ii) above.

#### 2. Anticipated or Predictable Short-Term Capacity Shortages in Edison-Consumers Service Areas:

In the event of an emergency condition of short-term duration which can be anticipated or is predictable in nature and which cannot be relieved by sources of generation within or outside the Consumers-Edison Area, the following steps will be taken in the order noted:

- The internal demand of generating plants and other premises owned by Consumers Power Company and The Detroit Edison Company will be reduced to the largest extent consistent with the maintenance of service;
- Service will be interrupted to controlled service loads and to loads rendered service under interruptible tariffs;
- Volage will be reduced not more than six percent;
- Voluntary load reductions will be requested of large commercial and industrial customers;
- Voluntary load reductions will be requested of all other customers;
- Manual load shedding of firm customer loads will be initiated. Service so interrupted shall be of selected distribution feeders throughout the Consumers-Edison Area. Such interruptions shall be consistent with the criteria of Item 1.(a) (ii) and shall, insofar as practicable, be alternated among circuits. Records will be maintained to insure that during subsequent capacity shortages, service interruptions may be rotated throughout the Consumers-Edison Area in an equitable manner.

#### 3. Capacity Shortages in Neighboring Control Areas:

(a) Firm service to customers in the Consumers-Edison Area shall not be interrupted in order to provide emergency service to suppliers of electric energy in neighboring interconnected control areas outside the State of Michigan. Emergency assistance to such suppliers shall be limited to the following steps in the order noted and no such assistance will be given unless agreed to be provided on a reciprocal basis by such supplier to Consumers Power Company and The Detroit Edison Company:

- Provide emergency assistance from idle or spinning reserve capacity in the Consumers-Edison Area provided that the neighboring control area has, as nearly as practicable, utilized its own idle or spinning reserve capacity;
- Interrupt service to controlled service loads and to loads in the Consumers-Edison Area being rendered service under interruptible tariffs; provided, that the neighboring control area seeking assistance has already exhausted all available supportive resources, including interruption of controlled service and interruptible loads and voltage reduction;
- Reduce voltage within the Consumers-Edison Area not more than six percent; provided the neighboring control area seeking assistance has already exhausted all available supportive resources, including interruption of controlled service and interruptible loads and voltage reduction;
- The neighboring control area seeking assistance shall be requested to reduce its takings of electric energy if such takings endanger the reliability of bulk power supply in the Consumers-Edison Area. If such neighboring control area fails to reduce its takings and the reliability of bulk power supply in the Consumers-Edison Area is endangered, steps shall be taken to open appropriate interconnections to relieve the burden on the Consumers-Edison Area.

#### 4. Anticipated, Predictable or Actual Long-Term Capacity Shortages in Edison-Consumers Service Areas:

In the event of emergency conditions of long-term duration caused by fuel shortages or long-term outages of major generation units which cannot be relieved by sources of generation within or outside of the Edison-Consumers Service Area, the following steps shall be implemented in the order noted. In all circumstances requiring the implementation of these procedures the public shall

be immediately advised through the appropriate media sources. These actions shall be implemented until it is determined by Detroit Edison and Consumers Power and confirmed by the Commission Staff that any or all actions may be terminated.

#### (a) Company Curtailment

Implement procedures for mandatory curtailment of nonessential energy usage on premises controlled by Consumers Power and Detroit Edison including all parking and large area lighting and reduced interior lighting levels and other uses of energy both during and outside normal business hours.

#### (b) Governmental Curtailment

Implement procedures for mandatory curtailment of nonessential energy usage on premises controlled by governmental units.

#### (c) Voluntary Conservation

Request voluntary energy conservation of all customers by:

- Direct contact of customers with an electric demand of 500 kW or higher and request them to implement their voluntary electric energy conservation programs;
  - Appeal to all other customers by mass communications media;
  - Mandatory Lighting Curtailment
- Implement procedures for mandatory curtailment of lighting by all commercial and industrial customers as follows:
- At least half of parking or large area lighting while open to the public and all such lighting at other times;
  - All lighting for the purpose of attracting the public's attention or for the purpose of decorating a premise except for limited customer identification during after-dark business hours;
  - All display lighting used to illuminate goods, products and services except during after-dark business hours.

Lack of compliance by a customer to these mandatory curtailments is just cause for a total discontinuance of his service.

#### (e) Nonresidential Curtailment

Implement procedures for mandatory curtailment of electric service to all nonresidential customers to a level specified by the Company, such level to be not less than 90 percent of the customer's monthly base period use, which is defined to be the customer's usage during the corresponding monthly billing cycle of the twelve-month billing period ended December 31, 1973. Customers served under rate schedules with capacity charge provisions shall also reduce their billing demands to the specified level in accordance with the above mandatory curtailment provision. Kilowatt-hour usage in excess of the specified level will be subject to an excess use charge of ten cents per kilowatt-hour in addition to the regular rate under which service is supplied. Billing demands in excess of the specified level will be subject to an excess use charge of \$10.00 per kilowatt in addition to the regular rate under which service is supplied.

#### (f) Interruption of Selected Distribution Circuits Including Residential Service

Implement procedures for interruption of selected distribution circuits on a rotational basis in accordance with specified load reduction amounts minimizing interruption to facilities which are essential to the public health and safety. Interruption shall not occur on any selected circuit for more than 4 hours in any 24-hour period without prior notification to the Commission.

#### (g) Voltage Reduction

Reduce voltage by 6 percent during peak load periods if generating capacity is a factor in the emergency. Detroit Edison and Consumers Power upon implementation of Part 4 of these procedures may reduce voltage at the appropriate time in accordance with this section when necessary to maintain the integrity of the generation system.

In its Order issued January 28, 1974, in Case No. U-4128, the Commission also directed that Consumers Power, Detroit Edison and all other interested parties shall show cause at 9:30 AM on February 21, 1974 in the office of the Commission, 5th Floor, Law Building—corner of Ottawa and Pine Streets, Lansing, Michigan 48913, and at such times subsequent thereto as the Commission may deem necessary, why the Emergency Electrical Procedures described above should not be permanently adopted.




### Tasty - Topic

**Beef Balls Recipe**  
2 pounds ground beef  
1/4 cup hot water  
1 envelope beef-flavor mushroom mix  
1 egg, beaten  
1/2 cup boiling water  
2 beef bouillon cubes  
1/2 cup flour  
1/4 cup butter or drippings  
1 cup ketchup  
2 tablespoons catsup  
1/4 teaspoon thyme  
1 clove garlic, minced

Add 1/4 cup hot water to beef-flavor mushroom mix and combine with ground beef and egg. Shape mixture into balls (1 tablespoon each) and place in roasting pan or jelly roll pan. Bake in slow oven (325°F.) 20 minutes or until done. Add boiling water to bouillon cubes to dissolve. Blend flour with melted butter or drippings add bouillon and wine gradually, stirring well after each addition. Add catsup, thyme and garlic and cook, stirring constantly, until thickened. Reduce heat, cover and continue cooking 15 minutes. Remove hot beef balls from pan with slotted spoon, stir in to sauce and turn into serving dish. Yield: Approximately 4 dozen balls.

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## Mighty Slim Security

Anyone who believes that government can be a benevolent provider of security is headed for bitter disillusionment. In the long run, the services of a welfare state must carry the cost of layer upon layer of bureaucratic fat. The "beneficiary" of the system gets what is left after all these costs are paid.

In this way, a welfare state bureaucracy, such as we have developed in the United States, saps the strength of its citizens and taxes away their ability to care for themselves. Adding insult to injury, its inflation-breeding deficit spending constantly eats away the value of the dollars the average citizen has left. Not much security to be found here.

## The comet cometh

It is doubtful if the shining advent of Comet Kohoutek will cause anything like the consternation which greeted the sighting of Halley's Comet 63 years ago, when not a few sober citizens confidently anticipated the end of the world. Halley will be back in 1986 on its regular, long-range schedule, but we really cannot afford to miss Kohoutek between now and the end of February because its next appearance will be delayed approximately 10,000 years while it patrols the frozen limits of interstellar space. Once Kohoutek escapes the attraction of our sun, its fires will be extinguished through regions untraveled & unimaginably cold.

As the comet accelerates past the sun, it will miss the earth by some 75 million miles, which is comforting to know considering that its nucleus is reported to be half the size of the moon. It will come a great deal closer to the sun than Halley's Comet did, however, and therefore should shine more brilliantly in the sky.

Just how brightly, one can't be sure, but that is one of the reasons astronomers are so keen to study the celestial visitor. There is debate about the comet's composition (the "dirty snowball" theory) and its origins. The path of Kohoutek's orbit suggests that it will arrive from the furthest reaches of the solar system, possibly from the area of Uranus and Neptune. It may provide science with unparalleled evidence about the origins of our universe.

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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVANCE OF 23 YEARS AGO

February 8, 1951

Michael Brady received his Bachelor of Science degree from Wayne University in exercises held at the University last Friday. He had majored in geology. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brady were present for the exercises. Michael plans to return to school for post graduate work to earn his Masters degree.

Miss Margaret Charron of Saginaw, daughter of Albert Charron became the bride of Andrew Cherven of Saginaw, son of Mrs. Andrew Cherven of Roscommon on Saturday, Feb. 8.

The double ring ceremony was performed at St. Mary's Church at 9:30 a. m. before an altar graced with gladiolas and snapdragons. The Rev. Fr. John Breitenstein officiated in the presence of forty guests. Special music was furnished by St. Mary's choir. Miss Greta Rasmussen presided at the organ.

Jack Hummel and Dwight Reava have been at home from C.M.U. at Mt. Pleasant for semester vacation.

Private Joseph S. Kernosky, son of Mrs. Marie Kernosky of 904 Lake Street, Grayling, has been assigned to a unit of the famous 2nd Armored Division at Ft. Hood, Texas for training.

Butch Golinick spent last Thursday and Friday in Bay City visiting her sister, R. N. Jerrie Golinick. Jerrie has completed her work at Bay City General Hospital and has been transferred to Percy Jones Hospital, Battle Creek.

Miss Nancy Hoesli is home from Central Michigan College, enjoying the between semesters vacation.

The Burton McWilliams have a new baby girl named Sheila Sue.

Bob Johnson is home from Central Michigan College to spend the between the semesters vacation.

Harold MacNeven spent Friday and Saturday in Saginaw on business.

Jack Richardson was home and spent a few days between semesters at the University of Michigan with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richardson and sister, Mary. He had as his guest, William Young, also a University student.

Orio Galvani is spending a weeks furlough with his mother, Mrs. Mary Galvani, home from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Miss Shirlee Souders was hostess to nine of her girl friends for a dinner party at Jerrie's Ranch Sunday evening to celebrate her birthday.

Jack Millikin was pleasantly surprised Saturday, January 27, when fifteen of his friends dropped in at the lovely Millikin home on the North River Road to help him celebrate his birthday. Everyone had a grand time.

February 9, 1928

The annual meeting of Woman's Club was held Monday evening & the following officers elected: President, Margaret Hemmingson; 1st vice president, Mrs. L. Herbinson; 2nd vice president, Mrs. C. J. McNamara; recording secretary, Isa Granger; corresponding secretary, Coletta Smith; treasurer, Mrs. Herluf Sorenson; delegate to District Federation, Mrs. A. J. Joseph.

Henry Stephan has his ice packed for next years busy season.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fitzpatrick arrived Saturday from Saginaw to take up their residence here. They have taken up quarters in the Eckenfels home. Mrs. Fitzpatrick was formerly Leona Townsend.

H. C. McKinley accompanied by Ed Mayette of the Avalanche force and Devere Schmidt motored to Gaylord Monday evening, the former going to visit Mrs. McKinley who is spending several days there.

Announcement is made of the approaching nuptials of Miss Azilda LaGrow to Paul D. Drere of Detroit. The wedding will take place in Detroit on February 21.

Clifford Merrill a former Grayling boy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette B. Merrill well known Beaver Creek resident, was in Grayling Sunday visiting friends, having accompanied George Granger from Lansing.

Louis Kessler was the guest of honor at a surprise party at his home Sunday evening. Mrs. Kessler invited several couples in to spend the evening in honor of his birthday. Four tables of "500" were enjoyed. Mrs. Alex LaGrow and Henry Bousson holding the high score. Mrs. Lowery of Cheboygan was an out of town guest.

Announcements have been received by Grayling friends of the birth of a baby daughter, Beverly Jane to Mr. and Mrs. Russell F. Manning of Flint on January 31st.

Peter McNeven, switchman for the M. C. has been transferred to Mackinaw City and left for that place Tuesday.

Mrs. Hansine Hanson, left Wednesday night for a weeks visit in Lansing and Flint, going to visit her son, Herman, at the latter place and her sister, Mrs. John Larson in Lansing.

Earle Hewitt is the new night clerk at Shoppensons Inn, filling the place of Mrs. Walter Nadeau.

Mrs. Ruby Annis has purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Papendick on Elm Street and expects to move into it in the spring when the Papendicks expect to leave Grayling.

Mrs. Signe Rasmussen has entered the Burrows Adding Machine Company school to take a course.

Charles Wylie is slowly recovering from a wound which he received while chopping wood some time ago.

Supervisor and Mrs. James Kellogg of Lovells were callers in the City Tuesday and in the evening attended the Grayling-Denver basketball game. Mr. Kellogg is a real fan and seldom missed a game when in town.

71 YEARS AGO —

February 2, 1905  
The mercury registered at 15 below zero Monday morning. J. W. Sorenson started west yesterday for a two months vacation.

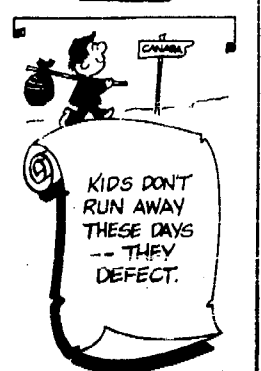
With the exception of four or five days January has been an ideal winter month in this locality, while north and south of us have been disastrous storms.

Walmart Jorgenson has been having a severe struggle with typhoid fever but is convalescing now.

The mercury crawled down to 23 degrees below zero last Saturday morning.

Ethel Hoyt and Floyd Taylor are attending school to prepare for spring examinations.

Friday evening was enjoyably spent by about twenty of our young people at the party given in honor of Miss Mabel Drummond at the home of Miss Katie Bates. Progressive "Flinch" was the game of the evening.



## The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

### On Adultery

Last week we studied the importance of the home. This week we shall look at adultery, the greatest sin against the home found in the Bible. Adultery means specifically "sexual intercourse of a man, whether married or unmarried, with a married woman." God's command against this act is best described in the seventh commandment: "Thou shalt not commit adultery." Exodus 20:14. God's penalty for this sin in Israel was death: "And the man that committeth adultery with another man's wife, even he that committeth adultery with his neighbor's wife, the adulterer and the adulteress shall surely be put to death." Leviticus 20:10.

God is equally concerned about sins against man's home, adultery, sins against man's life, murder, sins against man's integrity, lying, and sins against man's property, stealing. God's commandments against these sins are repeated together throughout the Bible.

Now let us illustrate how the shifting "mores" of human society have altered man's concept of these sins. Let us suppose a man enters Grayling, kills a man and steals his car. We would all be extremely concerned that this murderer and thief be caught and prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. Now, instead, let us suppose that the man enters Grayling, chases a man's wife, lies to her husband and children about the entire relationship, then leaves town taking this wife and mother with him. Would we really consider this liar and adulterer to be a criminal, I will let you answer that.

It is not the purpose of this article to alter man's penalty for adultery, but I am intensely concerned that all of you be aware of God's eternal penalty for adultery which is unchanged. God says murderers, whoremongers and all liars "shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death." Rev. 21:8. This second death is not annihilation as Satan would have you believe, but they "shall be tormented day and night for ever and ever." Rev. 20:10. Of those thrown into this lake of fire and brimstone we are told "the smoke of their torment ascendeth up for ever and ever; and they have no rest day nor night." Rev. 14:10.

Many will scoff and jeer at the thought of a sin which is winked at throughout our culture being

punished by God in hell for eternity. What would you think of a doctor who described cirrhosis of the liver to a patient already suffering some organic deterioration from the abusive use of alcohol? Well, let me assure you on the authority of the Bible that eternal hell is much more sure for an adulterer, than cirrhosis of the liver is for an alcoholic.

Before you accuse me of vicious sadism, let me assure you that my only motive in giving such a horrible description of hell is to persuade you to repent of your sins and accept Jesus Christ that you may avoid such punishment.

Pastor Barnett

## Main Street Players Group In Production

Established last December, "The Main Street Players", northern Michigan's newest theatre group, has two objectives in mind. The first one is to produce about two plays a year; the second, and more important one, is to use the medium of the theatre to inspire community action in bringing cultural changes to the COOR county Area of Michigan.

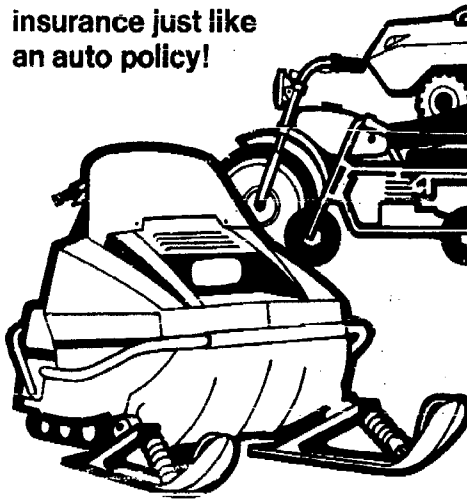
In keeping with these goals, "The Main Street Players" have begun production of Joseph Kesselings "Arsenic and Old Lace", a comedy about the unorthodox antics of Martha and Abby Brewster of Brooklyn. Casting has been completed and rehearsals are under way for the play, which will be performed at Kirtland Community College the last weekend in March. The community's response to the play and to the group as a whole has been encouraging, as evidenced by the growing number of talented and interested people who have joined us. We believe that it can establish itself in the community as a dynamic force in the growth and development of northern Michigan.

"The Main Street Players" however, hope to encourage more people to join. At this time, especially, we still need more people who want to work behind-the-scenes in making "Arsenic and Old Lace" a success.

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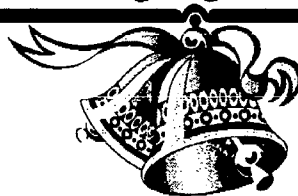
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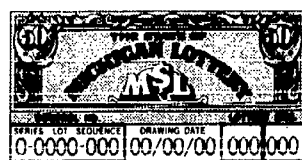
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## Be careful, constant readers

Because of my constantly jolly attitude, you probably won't believe it. But my life has had its ups and downs.

(Right now you are probably thinking: "If the big clown says he used to run an elevator, I am not going to read another word." Quit reading.)

The rest of this column is strictly for Mother, Aunt Madeline, Grace Niggeman and Frances Kiskadden. Constant readers (Mother, Aunt Madeline and Grace Niggeman) will notice I've added 1 more constant reader (if you think reading this column is hard, you should try writing it).

Grace Niggeman taught me English composition at Port Huron Junior College 25 years ago. It was her encouragement that decided me to become a newspaper writer rather than a rack boy in Curley Peloso's poolroom.

Last Christmas I visited Mrs

Niggeman. Strictly by coincidence, she lives in the apartment next to Aunt Madeline. This is a worrisome thing for me. One fire could wipe out more than half my readership.

Prince Rainier and his wife Grace Kelly always fly in separate planes so 1 plane crash wouldn't leave Monaco without a ruler. Mr and Mrs Paul Newman also travel separately, for the sake of their children and the box office. For similar reasons, I think my readership should spread out and otherwise take darn good care of themselves.

Anyway, Mrs Niggeman astounded me by reciting, word for word, something I wrote in 1949. She claims to have been my most constant constant reader for all these years. She is obviously doing penance, trying to relieve the guilt she feels for having pushed me upon the public in the first place. Personally, I'd rather wear a hair

shirt than memorize this nonsense.

Nevertheless, a Christmas kiss was not enough. From now on, Mrs Niggeman, the greatest teacher I ever had, shall forever be publicly listed along with my 2 other constant readers.

As for Frances Kiskadden, she is not a constant reader. She is a selective reader. She wrote pointing out that I wrote a good column back in 1960, or maybe it was 1950. It described my harrowing experiences as the elevator operator at the Ballentine Dry Goods Co in Port Huron in 1942. Mrs Kiskadden asked me to publish that column again.

I have been waiting over 20 years for someone — anyone — to request a repeat. My wife is under instructions to clip and file every column. I have long been anxious to come to work and simply type those marvelous words: "This column is repeated

By Jim Fitzgerald

by popular request." I would then spend the rest of the day in the poolroom, bragging to the guys about how I was living off the residuals from my reruns, just like Desi Arnez.

So you can imagine my delight when I told my wife to dig out the elevator column. But she couldn't find it. I told her to look harder. Nothing. I wanted to beat on her face. Instead, I joined the search. I spent 4 fruitless hours looking for that lousy column.

"It would only take you 1 hour to write a new column," she said.

I hate wives like that.

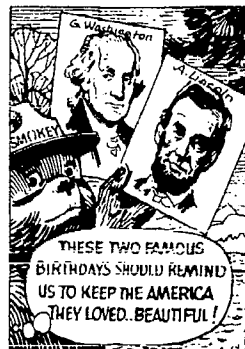
But I will write the elevator column again, maybe next week. Mrs Kiskadden might become a constant reader.

And if she gets on the same bus with Mother, Aunt Madeline and Mrs Niggeman, that teetering you hear will be my career as a columnist.

## My Neighbors



## Smokey Says:



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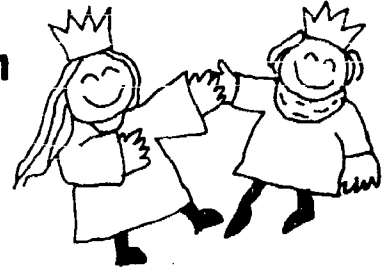
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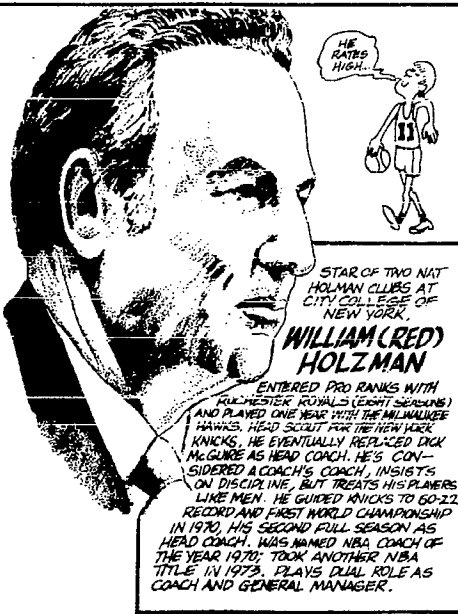
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55 MILES PER HOUR SPEED LIMIT SIGNS go into production as Michigan prepares to join the rest of the nation in lowering its highway speed limit as part of an energy-conserving campaign. State supervisor Jerry Skinner (left) describes the fabrication process to John P. Woodford, Director of State Highways and Transportation. Some 4,700 signs on state highways will be converted to show the new speed limit.

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## TO THE ELECTRIC CUSTOMERS OF CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the matter of the investigation on the Commission's own motion to determine the need for revision in charges relating to underground extensions under the Uniform Underground Electric Extension Policy.

Case No. U-4508

At a session of the Michigan Public Service Commission held at its offices in the city of Lansing, Michigan, on the 21st day of January, 1974.

PRESENT: Hon. William G. Rosenberg, Chairman  
Hon. Lenton G. Sculthorp, Commissioner  
Hon. William R. Ralls, Commissioner

## ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING

By order dated August 10, 1970 in Case No. U-3001, the Commission approved its Rules and Regulations Governing the Extension of Underground Electric Distribution Lines. The Commission's order dated August 17, 1970 confirmed and adopted said rules and regulations.

These rules and regulations contain provisions for contributions in aid of construction applicable to extensions of underground electric distribution and service lines in residential subdivisions and to commercial and industrial extensions. The rules established charges of \$1.00 per lot front foot for distribution lines and \$1.25 per foot for service lines in residential subdivisions, and a charge of \$2.00 per trench foot for commercial and industrial extensions. In response to requests by residential home builders and developers, members of the Legislature and utility companies, the Commission believes that it would be in the public interest to review these charges. If the Commission finds that the current costs of construction of overhead and underground extensions are to any extent different from those upon which the above charges were based, it proposes to fix different charges to reflect the change in the difference in costs.

The Commission FINDS that:

a. Jurisdiction in this matter is pursuant to Act 106, P.A. 1909, as amended, M.C.L.A. 460.551 et seq; Act 419, P.A. 1919, as amended, M.C.L.A. 460.61 et seq; Act 3, P.A. 1939, as amended, M.C.L.A. 460.1 et seq; Act 306, P.A. 1969, as amended, M.C.L.A. 24.201 et seq; and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 1954 Administrative Code, Supplement No. 54, R 460.11.

b. A hearing should be held to determine the proper and reasonable charge per lot front foot for distribution lines and the proper and reasonable charge for service lines in residential subdivisions, and the proper and reasonable charge for commercial and industrial extensions

under the Commission's Uniform Underground Electric Extension Policy.

c. All public utilities, including rural electric cooperatives, providing electric service in the Lower Peninsula mainland should be required to provide specific data for the Commission's consideration in this matter.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

A. The Commission, on its own motion, will conduct an investigation to determine whether there should be revision in the charges of \$1.00 per lot front foot for distribution lines and \$1.25 per foot for service lines in residential subdivisions, and the charge of \$2.00 per trench foot for commercial and industrial extensions under the Commission's Uniform Underground Electric Extension Policy.

B. Each public utility, including rural electric cooperatives, providing electric service in the Lower Peninsula mainland shall, on or before February 4, 1974, prepare and submit to the Commission, together with its proposed testimony, an original and 7 copies of studies for the years 1971, 1972 and 1973 showing its average differential in cost between overhead and underground extensions in residential subdivisions and also the average difference in cost between overhead and underground commercial and industrial extensions. In addition, each such public utility shall submit to the Commission 50 copies of its testimony and studies for distribution to interested parties requesting copies of same.

C. A public hearing will be held at 9:30 a.m. on February 25, 1974 in the Auditorium, Law Building, Lansing, Michigan, and continue, if necessary, on February 26, 27 and 28, 1974, in the offices of the Commission, Law Building, Lansing, Michigan 48913 for the purpose of receiving testimony and evidence concerning this matter. Any interested parties may attend the hearing and participate, subject to the provisions of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

D. Any party wishing to intervene in this investigation shall, in accordance with Rule 11 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, file with the Commission an original and 7 copies of a petition to intervene at least five (5) days prior to February 25, 1974.

E. Each public utility, including rural electric cooperatives, providing electric service shall, on or before February 15, 1974, notify the public of the hearing by publishing a copy of this Order and Notice of Hearing in newspapers of general circulation published within its service area and by mailing a copy of this Order and Notice of Hearing to all cities, incorporated villages, counties and townships within its service area. Proofs of publication and service are to be submitted at or before the scheduled hearing.

The Commission specifically reserves jurisdiction of the matters herein contained and the authority to issue such further order or orders as the facts and circumstances may require.

MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

/s/ William G. Rosenberg  
Chairman

/s/ Lenton G. Sculthorp  
Commissioner

/s/ William R. Ralls  
Commissioner

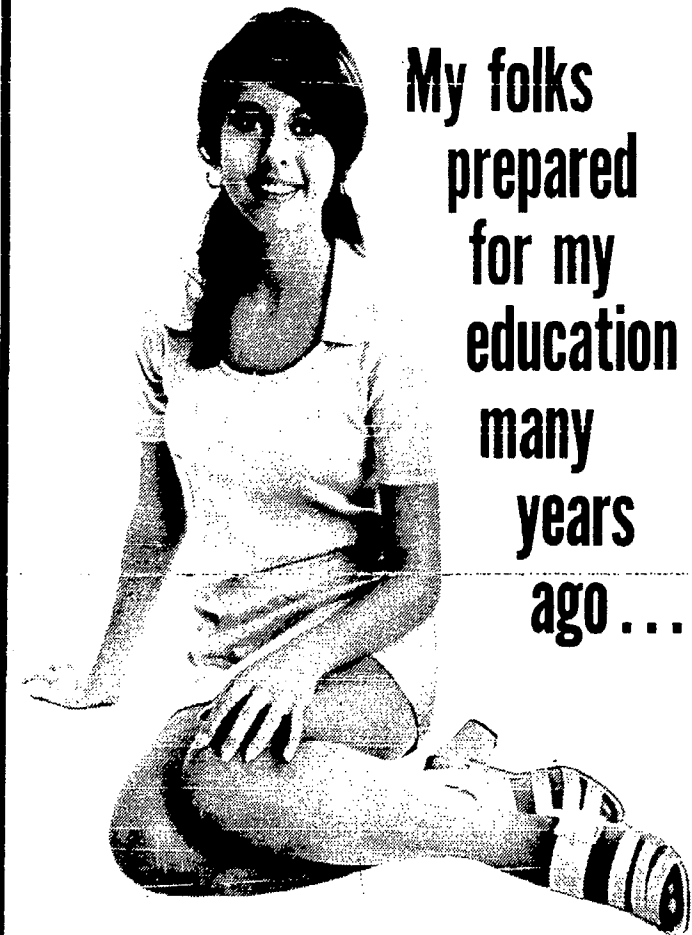
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By the Commission and pursuant to its action of January 21, 1974.

/s/ Earl B. Klomparens  
Its Secretary



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years  
ago . . .



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Our great country's very existence was brought about by a war that killed or maimed and crippled thousands of young men in the prime of life. Since then we have engaged in conflict after conflict always on foreign soil, protecting some one else's country, along with ours, but always with the same results. Thousands of dead young men, hundreds of thousands of maimed and wounded.

Hospitals have been provided to patch up the boys returning minus an arm or leg. Millions of dollars are being spent to restore hopeless cripples from the ranks of the living dead, but until the origin of the Eternal Flame, nothing really outstanding has been done to show our daily appreciation and admiration for those who made the supreme sacrifice, who gave up their lives in a war that makes less sense each time it occurs.

The Eternal Flame that has

## Announce Engagement

Sheriff and Mrs. Gerald F. Weis, Sr. of 225 S. Stewart, Big Rapids, announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Ann, to Barry Kent Holmes, son of Mrs. Gene Bridges of Salem, Massachusetts. A spring wedding in Big Rapids is being planned.

The bride-elect is a 1970 graduate of Big Rapids High School and is presently attending Ferris State College, majoring in Business Administration.

Barry is a 1967 graduate of Grayling High School. He spent four years in the Air Force and is also attending the School of Business Administration at Ferris.

## Moose News

By ELMER NEAL

I am going to attempt to put in words how the Moose Fraternity and hundreds of citizens of this community feel about a gentleman affectionately known as "Uncle Al" for as long as I can remember. He came to Grayling nearly 34 of a century ago, and on Feb. 28th, 1974, will have reached the 84th milestone of his life.

The Grayling Moose Lodge will hold an open party for "Al" on February 23rd in the evening at the Moose Home, 305 Peninsular St., to honor him for his over 60 years of dedication to the principals of the Loyal Order of Moose. He has achieved every honor that his Fraternity has to offer and ranks well up at the top of the whole Moose domain both in years of service and age.

Al joined the Grayling Lodge, Feb. 22nd, 1914, and was a annual dues payer for 50 years and in 1954 received his Life Membership. He is a past Governor of his Lodge, also holds the rating of 5 Star Secretary which is the mark of excellence. He holds a Life Membership in Legion of the Moose No. 107 and a Life Membership in the Fellowship Degree, and as a member of the 25th club.

He is an Honorary Member of Opportunity Lodge at Moose Haven Florida. And was called to Moose heart in 1971 to receive "The Pilgrim Degree of Merit" which is the highest honor that can be bestowed on a Brother Moose.

Through these years "Uncle Al" has contributed to the health, welfare, and Education of over 5000 children of Departed Brother Moose whom would not have had this chance in life if it were not for men like him. He has also made things more enjoyable for hundreds of elderly people at Moose Haven Florida that were less fortunate in the twilight of their lives than we are.

I personally have known him since I was a school boy and know he has held out a helping hand to a lot of people both inside and outside his Fraternity and that all of you join all of us in saying "Uncle Al" we "Salute" you, and are glad that we have the Friendship of persons like you of which there are far too few in this world today.

Sorry to hear that Brother Burger got banged up on his snowmobile, we all wish him a speedy recovery, and are glad that it wasn't worse than it was, you know Dick you are supposed to be on top of that machine instead of "visa versa."

The next mens enrollment will be on February 24th at 2 p.m. All sponsors should make a special effort to see their candidates are present.

The lodge will continue to hold Fish Frys on Friday evenings until further notice with serving starting at 5:30.

Sure glad to see "Chet" Telling out and around again. Brother Telling was at Munson Hospital in Traverse City for surgery on his eyes and the operation was very successful and he is sporting new glasses and getting used to them real fast. Welcome back old timer.

burned night and day through out the country, as it has in front of our splendid county building, serves as a constant reminder to all that we are proud of our country and those who died to protect it. What a shame, that the first thing we must sacrifice in this energy crisis is the tribute to our dead heroes. So far, no one has had to go without gasoline, fuel oil, or heating gas, we have to pay a little more for what we get, but it is still there to be had. Why, then, must the men who gave everything they had to give, make the supreme sacrifice of their lives, be made to give one more time?

If the National Commander of the American Legion wants to do something productive to keep the Flame burning, let him issue a more rational command, like closing all Legion bars across the country one night a week or an hour early each night. If sacrifices are to be made to keep the flame burning, let them be made by those fortunate enough to still have something to give. If it galls you to turn your thermostat down five degrees, for you know who, then do it for the Eternal Flame. Cut a couple of hours off your snow-mobile excursions, take shorter weekend auto trips, anything to help conserve enough fuel to keep the Eternal Flame burning.

Judging from the reaction of the people on the street, I am sure I speak for a great many concerned citizens. How many more of you have not forgotten? Delbert Case

## ABWA News

The A.B.W.A. January meeting was held at the Bear Mt. Lodge on the 15th with 22 members present and 3 guests. Our president Elaine Harland called the meeting to order after a very nice dinner which was enjoyed by all.

Our speaker for the evening was Bob Bovee, counselor at the Grayling High School. Bob explained that a counselor answers directly to his principal, who lets him know what is expected of him in the way of counseling. Some of the things that are expected are, to be ready to comfort, calm down, referee, or just lend an understanding ear to a present problem. Often the most difficult job to do is just to let the student or help him to make up his own mind what is to be done. A counselor also helps the student make the right decision as to the right classes to take in planning for the future. If further studies are needed to reach a goal then help is needed to help decide where to go, how to finance the education necessary. Often the military has been an answer, there are several choices that can be attained with the government paying for your education, in turn for a few years of active duty in the branch of service you choose. A student needs 20 credits to graduate, and Mr. Bovee explained what classes had to be taken and how a student may make up the others needed to complete the required 20. The high school has a very broad choice for the student body to pick from. Makes me wish I was back in school. Bob's talk was very informative, Thank You, it was enjoyed very much.

Carol Sheggrud was the vocational speaker for the evening. Carol works for her husband in a real estate firm. She does some secretarial duties, is hostess, cook, housekeeper, etc. Carol also is a licensed Practical Nurse, which she worked at before meeting her husband. One of the projects that their real estate firm has is Twin Pines development which sure sounds like it will be a very nice addition for our community's future recreation.

Marie Akers, corresponding secretary, had a couple of nice invitations for members to consider. One was to Nassau and one to North Carolina. There will be a district meeting in April for everyone to keep in mind, too.

Jeanette Kitchen was appointed to be chairman for the March enrollment tea. This will be held the week of March 10th. Several members volunteered to help. I'm glad to see that when a job needs doing, our members aren't afraid to jump in and do it. The next meeting will be at the Hotel Shoppenagon on the 19th of February at 6:30 p.m. The nominating committee for the new 1974 officers will have the candidates ready for voting so everyone make it a point to attend. The speaker for the meeting will be a representative from Kirkland College to tell us about the new L.P.N. program that they now carry. Everyone saw the picture in the paper of the first class to graduate. This is a nice addition to our area and we all should be proud of them.

Don't forget February 19th, Chief Shoppenagon Hotel at 6:30.

Tanya Pelto  
Publicity Chairman

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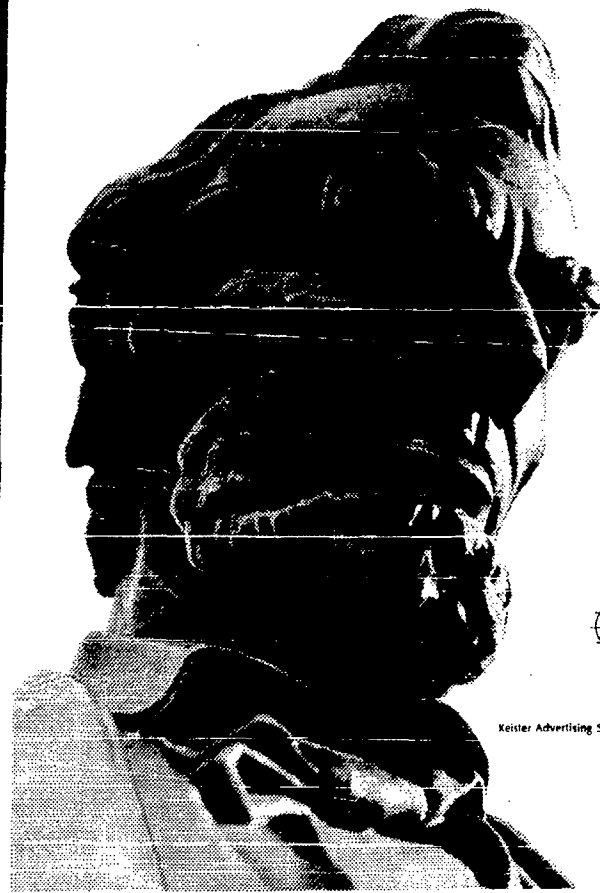
Man  
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Statue?

Today we see Lincoln in heroic size. He appears almost more of a statue than a man—a great figure cast in bronze, with a furrowed brow and solemn countenance.

Yet Lincoln was a man. He walked the earth, and felt love and joy, but he knew tremendous frustration and almost insurmountable sorrow. He prayed, earnestly and effectively.

Throughout each crisis in his life, and there were many, he was sustained by faith. God seemed close to him, and he turned to Him often. He didn't pause to think about whether he'd go to church or not. He went.

Do you?



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Evening Service 6:00 p.m.  
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p.m.

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Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

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Sunday School Bible Class  
9:45 a.m.  
Saturday Evening Service  
8:00 p.m.

**Christ Missionary Church**  
Minister H. A. Hennig  
4 mi East of Frederic on Co.  
Rd. 612 in Maple Forest Twp.  
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Worship & Praise 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service  
Winter 6:00 p.m.  
Summer 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer,  
Bible Study and Praise  
Winter 6:00 p.m.  
Summer 7:00 p.m.

**Free Methodist Church**  
Oth C. Smith, Pastor  
6452 W. Kalkaska Rd.  
(M-72 West)  
Phone 275-5917  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:15 a.m.  
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Prayer Meeting Wednesday  
evening, 7:00 p.m.

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**Christian Science Society**  
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Church Services 10:30 a.m.

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Thurs. 8:30 p.m. Service Meeting.



# Jack Pine's Stump

One day last week, cruising around town counting yellow or gold Comets or Mavericks, I was idly listening to the news on the local radio station when I was informed that I had just listened to "Award Winning News." "What ho!" I thought, "Fame has come to our town. A local establishment has won some great national recognition." Civic pride seeped through my bones and I even lost track of the cars I was counting. Later I listened to other news broadcast, and found nothing very award-winning in it at all. Just the usual stuff of the wire service and some local news and weather. But again I was informed it was "award winning." The last award winning news I heard about was the Watergate expose in The Washington Post — and that warranted a Pulitzer prize. Sadly, I came to the conclusion I had been duped, and I was reminded of a town in another state where two or three advertising agencies got together, formed an association and took turns awarding each other plaques of "Excellence" in a variety of fields. It was all done to impress the clients of the various agencies involved and had about as much value and integrity as a 1972 White House Staff Member. I suspect the same locally. Now this is a fine idea, and I am going to jump on the bandwagon myself. Thus I have formed "The Crawford County Weekly Newspaper Columnists Alliance." I am also taking this occasion to proudly announce that the Select Selection Committee has selected Jack Pine to receive its annual award for 1973. So be it. We're going to put our little town on the map yet.

As a general rule, fund drives for national organizations give me a pain in the pocketbook and nearby regions. Not so with the March of Dimes, an organization founded by President Franklin Roosevelt to promote research into the causes, treatment and eventual cure of polio. Now that his long-cherished goals have been reached, the MOD has branched into other areas more or less related. It is one of the few organizations where most of the money is spent on those projects for which it was given. I believe in the MOD, maybe because I had a brother who was stricken and cured at Boston Children's Hospital many years ago — cured due in no small measure to EYER'S MOD organization. Some local people refrain from supporting the MOD because they feel that all the money is spent other places than Crawford County. Forty percent of the funds collected stay in the county; 35 percent are used in Michigan and 25 percent goes



to the National for Research. Some examples of how local monies are spent are: the purchase of a Billi-Light, used in Mercy Hospital for the diagnosis of blood disease in newborns; the purchase of wheelchairs, eyeglasses and medical supplies for kids with spinal disease, eye defects, surgery, etc.; purchase of RH vaccine for a mother who had a different type blood than her husband. And the list goes on. Anyway, when you're asked, please give. Maybe, just maybe, you'll make somebody besides yourself feel good all over.

JP

Odd'n'Ends: The Winter Carnival kick-off dinner dance at Bear Mountain was generally considered a success. My meal was excellent, the music was danceable, service very good. Hope they can keep it up. Of course, I hope the same thing every year. Centennial plates are still available at a reduced price of two bucks at the Chamber office. So are Centennial books at various places in town. The finest TV presentation in the history of the medium was the CBS-Zerex Thursday night production, "The Autobiography of Jane Pittman." Cicely Tyson should win every award in sight. Two hours with one commercial break, which was welcome. The human mind can just stand so much emotion. It should be shown again.

JP

A bunch of us were saying unkind things about a local official, when I was asked if I had voted for him. I said I had, as did some of the others. I also said I voted for Nixon, which proved my bad judgment. Most agreed they had too. In the silence which followed we all wept a bit.

Best wishes for a happy week from Good Old Award-Winning JACK PINE

## CARD OF THANKS

I would like to say thanks to Dr. Blaha and the wonderful nursing staff, Rev. Paul Frederick for his kind words and prayers. Also thanks to my friends and relatives for their visits and beautiful cards, plants, and gifts. Thank you. Nellie Jones

## Sheriff's Report For 1973

I would like to take this means to make a report of this Department's activities for the year of 1973. Crime has been on the rise each year in the nation, and Crawford County is no exception. We have compiled a summary from our records to show you the over all picture of the work done by this Department. Where there was no record we left a blank space.

	1972	1973
Total complaints	1,610	2,538
Arrests	303	512
Appearance summons (traffic & misdemeanors)	512	2
Arson	12	12
Assault (simple)	1	8
Assault (felonious)	4	10
Auto Theft	197	274
Break & Enterings	41	70
Driving under the influence of alcohol	41	21
Drunk & Disorderly	60	122
Drug Arrest	3	3
Explosion Complaints	1	1
Extortion	31	45
Fraud	45	53
Larceny (simple)	35	35
Larceny (felonious)	184	184
Liquor law (non-bar violations)	1	3
Miscellaneous complaints	3	7
Sex offenses	3	7
Stolen property (possession)	3	7
Wayward minor & delinquents	3	10
Weapons (violation of conceal weapons law)	247	260
Traffic accidents	48	69
Car-deer accidents	13	69
Snowmobile accidents	8	8
Traffic Deaths	446	628
Prisoners booked	113	128
Kalkaska prisoners lodged	113	213
Ambulance calls	36	47
Fire calls responded to	126,127	200,347
Miles patrolled	126,127	200,347
Accounts-incoming (money turned over to the County Treasurer)	\$3,274.00	\$3,274.00
Ambulance	1,433.25	1,433.25
Serving papers (306)	948.00	948.00
Boat inspection (marine)	1,529.50	1,529.50
Prisoners board - working out		
TOTAL		\$7,504.75

The \$1,529.50 (Prisoners board-working out) is money that the prisoner who is allowed to work out, must reimburse the County for his board, at \$3.50 per work day.

Officer training (Police in service, first aid, marine, diving, jail, weapons, etc.) 800 hrs.

About 75% of the above training, was done on the officers' off duty time and no cost to the County.

The Auxiliary Div. of this Dept. has worked 2,857 man hours (FREE).

The above work done in 1973, was done with one (1) Officer less than in 1972. This Department was cut one man when Undersheriff Golinick retired in Feb. 1973.

I would like to clear some items that have been in the monthly Commissioners meeting reports. The report on redecorating the Sheriff's quarters, was only going to be insulation and paneling on two of the outside walls. I requested and received a gas wall furnace in lieu of the redecorating. (the heating system in the Sheriff's quarters is very poor). I have not requested a copy machine, only the use of the one the County already owns. The patrol cars are not only in need of repairs, they are in bad shape and we need new ones. (they have been repaired every month for about the last 5 months).

The minutes of the Commissioners monthly meeting may not show it, but I have attended every regular monthly meeting. Also several special and budget meetings. The same with all Commissioner/union meetings in the past year.

I hope that the above report will answer any and all questions, if not please stop in and see me.

I will have a 1973 Drug Lab report in the Avalanche next week.

Harold A. Hatfield  
Sheriff Crawford Co.

## Bowling Results

American — 1st Division

1. Bear Archery	11 1/2
2. Clair's Standard	8 1/2
3. Spike's Keg 'O Nails	8
4. Fick's Standard	8 1/2
5. Legion Lanes	4
6. Rochettes	4
7. Uncle Al	2
8. Millikins	2

High series: D. LaMotte 646; P. Faustman 562; D. Millikin 552.

High game: D. LaMotte 242; P. Nunn 232; J. Budd 214.

American — 2nd Division

1. 4 - Pack	9
2. Grayling Mold	8
3. Vaughn's Sunoco	7
4. Sportsman's Club	7
5. Holey's Service	5
6. Union 76	4
7. Stewart Sandwich	4
8. Parkers Survey	4

High series: R. Helsel 608; B. Wininger 506; J. Medier 506.

High game: R. Helsel 226-193; 189; S. Holey 190.

National — 1st Division

1. Gambles	4
2. Tarpon	3
3. Bear Archery	2
4. Spur Gas	2
5. Parson's Adv.	1
6. Airport Auto	0

High series: L. Baker 620; D. LaMotte 563; Ace Worden 538.

High games: D. LaMotte 245; L. Baker 221-210.

National League — 2nd Division

1. Grayling V. W.	12
2. General Telephone	11
3. R & H Sports	9
4. Cornelli's	7
5. Sam's Auto Parts	7
6. Fuelgas	6
7. Legion Lanes	5
8. Caid's Grocery	3

High series: A. Taylor 646; J. Wrona 565; B. Nielson 550.

High game: A. Taylor 233-213; J. Hatley 206; C. Wakeley 208.

PIONEER LEAGUE

1. Dawsons	10
2. Millikin Construction	8
3. Sorenson Agency	8
4. Al's Gals	8
5. Vaughn's Sunoco	6
6. Cornelli's Agency	5
7. Avalanche	2
8. Small Electric	2

High series: Gloria Kraus 509; Ann Latusek 499; Lois Brendig 493.

High game: Dee Russell 200; Gloria Kraus & Mary Milner 186; Lois Brendig 185.

Triangle League

1. Glen's Blue	7
2. Rec. Motors	6
3. Marlens Beauty Salon	4
4. Russ Dry Wall	4
5. Glen's Red	2
6. Shamrock Rest.	1

High series: D. Freeman 584; R. Helsel 557; H. King 522.

High game: D. Freeman 206; R. Helsel and H. King 193; H. Miller 190.

Sunday Mixed Doubles

1. Millers Tires	15
2. Farm Bureau	12
3. Big Wheel	11
4. Beaver Bend Lodge	10
5. Decker Fixit Shop	9
6. Luzerne Hardware	8
7. R & H Sports	7 1/2
8. General Telephone	7 1/2

High series: (women) L. Tobin 468; A. Moore 452; B. Ingalls 449.

High game (women) B. Ingalls 187; A. Moore 172; B. Pratt 164.

High series: (men) B. Reichelderfer 543; F. Golinick 539; K. Helsel 523.

High game: (men) K. Helsel 210; F. Golinick 201; B. Reichelderfer 200.

Sunday Afternoon Fun League

1. Lucky 4	11 1/2
2. Hits & Mrs	11
3. Downriver Rats	10
4. Blue Lake 4	7
5. Pink Panthers	7
6. 4 Dudes	6 1/2
7. Gutter Greats	6
8. Playmates	5

High series men: D. Henning 620; K. Helsel 567; M. Nelson 515.

High series women: C. Baker 425; A. Helsel & S. Muth 400; M. Lavrack 392.

High single men: D. Henning 228; Ken Helsel 221; M. Nelson 219.

High single women: C. Baker 172; S. Muth 160; A. Helsel 156.

Senior Citizens

1. Gambles	4
2. Mac's Drug	4
3. Kellogg's Corn	2
4. First Savings	2
5. R & H Sports	0
6. Glen's Mkt.	0

High series: (men) E. J. Cooper 541; Bill Campbell 504; Glen Foltz 480.

High singles: (men) E. J. Cooper 205; Bill Campbell 199; E. J. Cooper 179.

High series: (women) Maxine Foltz 522; Edris Sorenson 484; Loretta McCormick 456.

High singles: (women) Maxine Foltz 184-183; Edris Sorenson 163; Loretta McCormick 162.

JOLLY GALS HOBBY CLUB

The Jolly Gals Hobby Club held their January meeting at the home of Mrs. Greta Chapp with most members present. The evening's project was making gilded bird's nests for decorative purposes and they are also useful as Christmas tree ornaments.

## Mental Health

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tients within their home communities through intensive counseling and chemotherapy. One of our staff is on crisis duty 24 hours a day seven days a week to respond immediately to individuals who are in need of immediate help.

"A big development in our emergency treatment program was the creation of an in-patient unit at Mercy Hospital in Grayling. Our in-patient unit will allow us to treat individuals in their home communities instead of sending them to the Traverse City State Hospital," VanderSchie said. "With the assistance of our psychiatrist, Dr. Robert Crawford, we are able to provide chemotherapy when needed."

For individuals living in Missaukee, Roscommon or Crawford Counties, a toll free number for them to call is 909-632-2729. "Our toll free number provides the caller with direct access to a therapist," VanderSchie said.

"Through our consultation program we are able to provide consultation services to other community agencies, medical professions and the community in general, assisting the communities in mental health problems," VanderSchie said. "The extended care program is designed for individuals who need continued contact in order to deal with daily life situations. These are individuals who are debilitated by having suffered a psycho-social dysfunction," VanderSchie said. "Our objective is to minimize the degree of debilitation (impairment) caused by the psycho-social dysfunction."

We find that many people who have been discharged from the State Hospital suffer residual effects of their illness," VanderSchie said. "By having been in the hospital for several years and separated from society they lack the necessary social skills for living in the community."

The mental retardation program serves individuals identified as mentally handicapped, or individuals for whom conditions are such that development of a mentally handicapping condition has some future probability, and the families of these individuals.

Since the Center opened the staff has seen over 900 people for individual, group, or marital counseling.

"We have assisted in reducing the admissions rate to the Traverse City State Hospital, and we have aided in returning the patient to his family as quickly as possible," VanderSchie said. "Through the creation of the above programs, we are able to provide comprehensive mental health services to the people who live in our four county area," VanderSchie said.



NURSES RECEIVE ADVANCED TRAINING at a two-day course in Grayling January 30 and 31, nurses from around the state were trained in advanced coronary care techniques. The program was sponsored by Michigan Heart Association, a United Way agency. Shown above are Dorothy Filley & Mary Allen, of Grayling.

## Snowmobile Performance Test

For all students who received a snowmobile safety certificate from a Crawford County Sheriff Department sponsored program may attend the performance evaluation to be held on February 16, from 11:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.

Attendance is not mandatory for students, however, it will be a chance for them to put what they learned into practical experience.

Students will have a chance to handle a snowmobile by themselves and learn first hand how to change spark plugs and drive belts plus handle other trail emergencies.

The course will be set up on the Grayling Land Fill Rd. which is approximately three-quarter of a mile East of Grayling off of M-72. The Land Fill Road runs South off M-72. The track will be approximately one mile down where the railroad tracks cross the road. This is also a starting point for the Skyline Trail.

Certified Department of Natural Resources Inspectors will be on hand to help instruct and supervise the class. Students should dress according to the weather and bring a safety helmet if they have one.

## Viking Matmen Split Pair

The Grayling Mat Men had two matches last week, both at home. Grayling was defeated by Rogers City and got their second victory over Mancelona, 33 to 27. Scoring for Grayling in the Mancelona meet was Carl Partello at 112 lbs. Toc Ockerman setting a school record in the 119 lb. division by pinning his man in 12 seconds. Grant Byce won in the 128 lb. weight class. At 145 lbs. Bernie Larson, Steve Walker and Brian Fitzpatrick both won a forfeit.

Grayling lost to Rogers City who had a very experienced team. Their team has been a varsity sport for five years, and has developed into a powerful team. Scoring for Grayling was Carl Partello and Bernie Larson. In the JV match John Gallows won in the 119 lb. division.

Grayling has three more matches left, February 7 at Petoskey, February 11 at Roscommon and February 19 at Mancelona, all matches begin at 6:30. February 23 the District Meet is at Benzie Central.

## FREDERIC HOBBY CLUB

The Frederic Hobby Club had their 20th anniversary and officers award dinner at the Frederic Inn on January 24. There were 12 members present. Miss Anita Lozon welcomed everyone. Mrs. Dixie Riggs gave a review of things that have happened in the past 20 years. Corsages and 20-year pins were given to Mrs. Merna Newberry and Mrs. Vi Middleton. The centerpiece was won by Miss Anita Lozon.

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## Grayling Twp. Minutes

Regular Meeting January 7, 1974  
All Board Members were present. Others present: Alan Beatty, Ned Hansen, Dick Fortino.  
Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. Minutes of the last regular meeting were approved.  
Treasurer's report was approved as given.  
New rates were approved for the North Down River land fill effective immediately. Township residents — no charge; Township land owners — no charge; Commercial — 50 cents per yard; and Tires — 50 cents each.

An amendment to the Zoning Ordinance was approved on: Case 73-13 Ned Hansen on property described as:  
Comm. 14 rods E of the NW corner of the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 8, T 26 N, R 3 W, th. running S 40 rods; th. E 18 rods, th. N 40 rods; th. W 18 rods to the P.O.B., being a part of the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 8, T 26 N, R 3 W, from present zoning classification of R-1 to P-1 (Planned Development) to allow five (5) duplex units as submitted plot plan-drawing dated Nov. 8, 1973, for page 1 and Nov. 30, 1973, for pages 2 and 3. (Amendment printed in Jan. 16, 1974, issue of Avalanche)

Bills as presented on vouchers: 667 - 688 in the amount of \$6465.73 were approved for payment.

Meeting adjourned.  
/s/Elizabeth H. Wieland  
Township Clerk

## Road Commissioners Minutes

January 18, 1974  
A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling, Michigan. Present, Commissioners Ervin E. Richter, Harold T. Johnson and Lawrence Mattis, and Engineer Manager John M. Keir. Absent, none.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read. A motion was made by Comm. Johnson, supported by Comm. Mattis that the minutes be approved as read. All voted in favor, motion carried.

After a discussion on operating under the new daylight saving time and after checking with Garrison Higgins and Crawford Township School Districts, the Board decided to continue operations from 7:00 A.M.

A discussion was held on a program of Traffic Control Orders as suggested by the County Road Association. This program would apply to the requests for and installation of stop signs, etc., and electrical traffic control devices. The program will be studied for further probable use.

After a trip of inspection over the Jones Lake Road by the Commissioners and Engr. Mgr. Keir, a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voted in favor, motion carried, meeting adjourned.

/s/Ervin E. Richter, Chrm.  
/s/Florence S. Douglas, Secy.

## LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
Probate Court for the County of Crawford.  
Estate of Ernest Larson.

It is Ordered that on March 15, 1974, at 10:00 a. m., in the Probate Courtroom Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Holger Hanson, Guardian of Ernest Larson, for a License to Sell Real Estate belonging to said Ernest Larson for the purpose of preserving the assets of the estate and to prevent depreciation of the building thereon.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.  
Dated: January 28, 1974.

/s/ Emil L. Kraus  
Judge of Probate.

Nelson A. Miles  
Attorney for Ernest Larson  
2003 I-75 Business Loop South  
P. O. Box 303  
Grayling, Michigan.

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## Crawford County Resolution

A resolution to establish a County Emergency Preparedness Policy and Organization; to define the duties and responsibilities of the Emergency Services Coordinator and other personnel; to authorize the use of the material resources and manpower of the county in emergency operations; and to prevent, minimize and relieve damage to persons and property resulting from any form of disaster.

THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD RESOLVES:

Article 1. Intent and Purpose  
Section 101. It is the intent and purpose of this resolution to establish an organization that will insure the complete and efficient utilization of all of the county's resources during periods of emergency.

Section 102. The Crawford County Office of Emergency Preparedness will be the coordinating agency responsible for county-wide emergency preparedness; it will provide the means through which the Board of Commissioners and its Chairman may exercise the authority and discharge the responsibilities vested in them by this resolution, and Act 154, Public Acts of 1953, as amended.

Section 103. This resolution will not relieve any elected officials or county department of the normal responsibilities or authority given to it by general law or local ordinance, nor will it affect the work of the American Red Cross or other volunteer agencies organized for relief in natural disaster.

Article 2. Definitions  
Section 201. For the purpose of this resolution, certain words used herein are defined as follows:

(a) "Chairman" shall mean the Chairman of the County Board of Commissioners; and "Board" shall mean the Crawford County Board of Commissioners.

(b) "Director" shall mean the responsible head of the Crawford County Office of Emergency Preparedness, appointed as prescribed in this resolution.

(c) "Disaster" means occurrence or imminent threat of widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property resulting from any natural or man-made cause, including but not limited to fire, flood, snow, ice or wind storm, wave action.

## LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
In the District Court —  
33rd Judicial District  
GENERAL ELECTRIC CREDIT CORPORATION  
a New York Corporation,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
DONALD TROJANIK  
Defendant.

## ORDER TO ANSWER

At a session of said Court held in District Court for the County of Crawford, at Grayling, Michigan, on this 4th day of January, 1974.

PRESENT: HONORABLE Francis L. Walsh, District Judge. Upon reading and filing Plaintiff's Ex Parte Motion for Order Allowing Substituted Service as provided for in DCR 105.8, and the Court being fully advised in the premises;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendant, DONALD TROJANIK, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 21st day of February, 1974. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against such defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

Francis L. Walsh, District Judge  
Order Prepared by:  
Louis P. Labbe  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
725 S. Adams Rd., Suite 242  
Birmingham, Michigan 48011  
Tel: (313) 645-0122

## LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
Probate Court for the County of Crawford.  
Estate of Leona Dulmage, aka Leona Dulmage, deceased.

It is Ordered that on April 10, 1974, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Crawford Co., Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held at which time all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims prior to or at the time of such hearing. Creditors must file a sworn claim with the Court and serve a copy on Harry Fisher, Executor of said Estate, Crawford County Court Building, Grayling, Michigan.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.  
Dated: January 4, 1974.

/s/ Emil L. Kraus  
Judge of Probate.

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oil spills, water contamination requiring emergency action to avert danger or damage, utility failure, epidemic, air contamination, blight, drought, infestation, explosion, riot, or hostile military or paramilitary action.

(d) "Emergency Proclamation" means a proclamation issued by the Governor. It states that an emergency exists under the provisions of Act 302, Public Acts of 1945.

(e) "Emergency Preparedness" shall have a broad meaning to include preparations for, and relief from, the effects of natural and man-made disasters as defined herein, and to include Civil Defense, as defined in Act 154, Public Acts of 1953, as amended.

(f) "Emergency Preparedness Volunteer" shall mean the employees equipment and facilities of all county departments, boards, institutions and commissions suitable for, or adaptable to participation in emergency services activities as designated by the Chairman, with approval of the Board; and, in addition, it shall include all volunteer personnel equipment and facilities contributed by, or obtained from, volunteer persons and agencies.

(g) "Emergency Preparedness Volunteer" shall mean any person duly registered and appointed by the Director and assigned to participate in the Emergency Preparedness activity.

(h) "Emergency Situation" means any situation confronting a community requiring emergency actions of a lesser nature than a disaster, as defined above, to include, but not limited to, a civil disturbances, labor strikes, visits by national or international dignitaries, and build-up activities prior to an actual disaster.

Article 3. Organization for Emergency Services  
Section 301. The Chairman, with the approval of the Board, is hereby authorized and directed to create an organization to prepare for community disasters utilizing to the fullest extent existing agencies within the county. The Chairman, as executive head of the county government, shall be the director of the Emergency Preparedness Forces of the county and shall be responsible for their organization, administration and operation, working through the Director.

Section 302. The organization for providing emergency services shall consist of the following:  
(a) An Office of Emergency Preparedness established within county government. The Office of Emergency Preparedness shall have an administrative head appointed who will be known as the Director of Preparedness Services. Such assistants and other employees as are deemed necessary for the proper functioning of the organization will be employed.  
(b) The employees, equipment and facilities of all county departments, boards, institutions and commissions suitable for, or adaptable to emergency preparedness activities may be designated as part of the total Emergency Preparedness Forces. Such designations shall be by the Chairman with the approval of the Board.

Section 303. All officers and employees of departments, commissions, boards, institutions and other agencies of the county government designated by the Chairman, with the approval of the Board, as Emergency Preparedness Forces shall cooperate with the Director of Emergency Preparedness Services in the formulation of the Emergency Operations Plan, and they shall assist the Director in all matters pursuant to the provisions of this resolution.

Article 4. Emergency Preparedness Director; Assistants; Deputies  
Section 401. The Chairman, with the approval of the Board, shall appoint a Director of Emergency Services who shall be a person with the personal attributes, experience, and training needed to coordinate the activities of the agencies, departments, and individuals within the county to protect the public health, safety and welfare during emergency situations and disasters.

Section 402. Assistant Directors shall be designated to work with the Director on emergency planning matters. Assistant Coordinators shall be selected and shall serve as follows:  
(a) There shall be one such Assistant Director appointed from each county department designated by the department head, with the approval of the Chairman, as part of the Emergency Services Forces.  
(b) Assistant Directors shall assume the duties of the Director whenever he is unavailable during disasters or emergency situations in the order of designation by the Chairman, acting upon the recommendation of the Director.

Section 403. Each city or village in the county for which the county has emergency services responsibilities shall be encouraged to appoint Deputy Emergency Preparedness Director to work with the county on emergency planning matters and emergency operations. Such duties are to provide liaison services between the county and their respective chief executives.

Article 5. Board Chairman; Powers; Duties  
Section 501. The Chairman may exercise the emergency power and authority as specified herein. Whenever a situation requires, or is likely to require, that the Chairman invoke such power and authority, he shall, as soon as reasonably expedient, convene the Board to perform its legislative and administrative duties as the situation demands, and shall report to that body relative to emergency activities. Nothing in this resolution shall be construed as abridging or curtailing the powers of the Board unless specifically provided herein.

Section 502. Under the following circumstances, the Chairman may assemble and utilize the Emergency Services Forces, and he may prescribe the manner and conditions of their use:  
(a) Whenever, on the basis of information received from authoritative sources, he feels that a large-scale disaster or emergency situation in the county or state is imminent.

(b) During any period of disaster in the county or state and thereafter as long as he shall deem it necessary.

Section 503. Whenever the Chairman finds that any condition in the county has attained, or threatens to attain, the proportions of a major disaster, he may assemble and utilize Emergency Preparedness Forces and he may prescribe the manner and conditions of their use. The Chairman, with the approval of the Board, is hereby empowered to enter into mutual aid agreements with other public and private agencies for reciprocal aid and assistance during disasters which are beyond local capabilities and resources. He may, when he deems it in the public interest, send Emergency Preparedness Forces of the county to the aid of other communities stricken by disaster as provided by mutual aid agreements; provided, that after the Board convenes, the future continuance of any such disaster relief and the period thereof shall be subject to the action of the Board.

Section 504. The Chairman, with the approval of the Board, may make regulations permitting the Director to assemble and utilize the Emergency Preparedness Forces and provide disaster relief aid as prescribed in Sections 502 and 503.

Section 505. When obtaining formal approvals would result in delay of relief activity, the Chairman may, until the Board convenes, waive procedures and formalities otherwise required pertaining to the performance of public works, entering into contracts, the incurring of obligations, the employment of temporary workers, the rental of equipment, the purchase and distribution of supplies, materials and facilities and expenditure of existing funds, and the Board is also empowered to waive any such procedures and formalities.

Section 506. The Chairman, with the approval of the Board, shall establish procedures for the succession of government during emergencies where officials are unavailable for exercising the powers and discharging the duties of their respective offices.

Article 6. Director of Emergency Preparedness Services; Powers; Duties  
Section 601. The Director of the Emergency Preparedness Services shall be responsible for the administration, planning, coordination and operation of all emergency preparedness activities in the county. He shall maintain liaison with the State and Federal authorities, and the authorities of other nearby political subdivisions so as to insure the most effective emergency operations.

Section 602. His duties shall include, but not be limited to, the following:  
(a) Development of plans for the immediate use of all of the facilities, equipment, manpower, and other resources of the county for the purpose of minimizing or preventing damage to persons or property; and protecting and restoring to usefulness governmental services and public utility health, safety, and general welfare.

(b) Coordinating the recruitment and training of volunteer personnel and agencies to augment the personnel and facilities of the county for emergency purposes.

(c) Through public information programs, educating the civilian population as to actions necessary and required for the protection of persons and property in case of disaster.

(d) Conducting practice alerts and exercises to insure the efficient operation of the county's emergency organization and to familiarize residents of the county with emergency regulations, procedures, and operations.

(e) Coordinating the activity of all other public and private agencies engaged in any emergency or disaster relief programs.

(f) Negotiating with owners or persons in control of buildings or other property for the use of such buildings or property for emergency or disaster relief purposes, and designating suitable buildings as public shelters.

(g) Establish and maintain administrative control over a local radio-logical defense program, to include emergency preparations for both peacetime radiation incidents and international wartime disasters.

(h) Establish property accountability procedures for Federal surplus property acquired by the county, Federal excess property on loan to the county, or any other property or equipment loaned to the county for use in disaster or emergency.

Article 7. Volunteers;  
Appointment; Records  
Section 701. Each department, commission, board, or other agency of county government may at any time appoint or authorize the appointment of volunteer citizens to augment the personnel of such county department, commission, board, or agency in time of emergency. Such individuals shall be enrolled as Emergency Preparedness Volunteers and shall be subject to the rules and regulations set forth by the respective department, commission, board, or agency head for such volunteers.

Section 702. The Director of Emergency Preparedness may enlist volunteer citizens to form the personnel of an emergency service for which the county has no counterpart, or to temporarily augment personnel of the county engaged in emergency activities. The Director shall maintain formal records of all such volunteers for workman's compensation purposes.

Article 8. Rights of County Employees  
Section 801. County employees assigned to duty as a part of the Emergency Preparedness Forces pursuant to the provisions of this resolution shall retain all of the rights, privileges, and immunities of county employees, and shall receive the compensation incident to their employment.

Article 9. No Governmental or Private Liability  
Section 901. This resolution is an exercise by the county of its governmental functions for the protection of the public health, safety, and general welfare. As such, neither the county nor any agents and representatives of the county, nor any individual, receiver, firm, partnership, corporation, association, nor trustee, nor any of the agents thereof acting in good faith carrying out, complying with, or attempting to comply with this resolution shall be liable for any damage sustained to persons or property as a result of said activity.

Section 902. Any person owning or controlling real estate or other premises who voluntarily and without compensation grants the county the right to inspect, designate and use the whole or any part of such real estate or premises for the purpose of sheltering persons during a disaster or during an authorized practice disaster exercise, shall not be civilly liable for the death of, or injury to, any person on or about such real estate or premises under such license, privilege or other permission, or for loss of, or damage to, the property of such person.

Article 10. Federal Surplus Property  
Section 1001. Director of the Emergency Preparedness is hereby designated as the person responsible for accepting Federal Surplus Property with the power and full authority to sign for such surplus property. The Chairman shall provide a written statement to appropriate Federal officials designating the current name of the Coordinator as responsible for complying with the provisions of this Article.

Section 1002. Director of Emergency Preparedness is responsible for the accountability and will maintain the necessary records for all surplus property obtained for emergency purposes until relieved from accountability by State and Federal authorities.

Section 1003. The Director of Emergency Preparedness is further authorized to direct payment of service charges for surplus property to complete all transactions.

Section 1004. Misappropriation or unauthorized private use of such public property while still accountable is subject to prosecution under Federal and State statute.

Article 11. Severability  
Section 1101. Should any section, clause, or provision of this resolution be declared by any court invalid for any reason, such declaration shall not affect the validity of the resolution as a whole or any part thereof, other than the section, clause, or provision so declared to be invalid.

Article 12. Repeals  
Section 1201. The resolution creating a Civil Defense Agency passed on October 13, 1969 and the resolution on Federal Surplus Property passed on October 13, 1969 being in conflict with this Resolution are hereby repealed.

Article 13. Effective Date  
Section 1301. This Resolution shall have immediate effect.

/s/E. H. Longworth  
Chairman, Crawford County Board

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## MORTGAGE SALE

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Chandra Recreational Properties, Inc., a Michigan corporation, Box 879, Roscommon, Michigan to American Acceptance Corp., a Mich. corp.

Mortgage, dated January 5, 1972, and recorded on January 6, 1972, in Liber 115, on page 105, Crawford County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of twenty-two thousand five hundred thirty three and 66/100 Dollars (\$22,533.66), including interest at (24) twenty-four % per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front door of the County Building in City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, at 11:00 o'clock a.m., on February 21, 1974.

Said premises are situated in the Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lots 1 through 118, except lots 3, 5, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 25, 26, 28, 31, 33, 35, 38, 42, 52, 53, 67, 69, 71, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 80, 86, 87, 89, 90, 92, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, and 118, South Branch Ranch Unit No. 1, being a part of the west 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 2, and part of the East 1/2 of Section 3, town 25 north, range 2 West, according to the recorded plat thereof as recorded in Liber 3, of Plats, on Page 21.

The length of the period of redemption from such sale will be six months.  
Dated: January 9, 1974.  
American Acceptance Corp.,  
a Michigan corporation

Mortgagee  
Letzer and Letzer, Attorneys,  
8292 E. 12 Mile Road,  
Warren, Michigan 48093  
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## LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
Probate Court for the County of Crawford.  
Estate of Howard H. Mead.

It is Ordered that on February 22, 1974, at 10:00 a. m., in the Probate Courtroom Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Blanche I. Mead Administratrix of the estate of Howard H. Mead for allowance of first and final account and for assignment of residue of the estate.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.  
Dated: January 29, 1974.

/s/ Emil L. Kraus  
Judge of Probate

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Two employees from General Telephone's Grayling area recently completed the company's "labor relations" course held at its state headquarters training center in Norton Shores, near Muskegon, according to Bob Kowalski, district manager for the company.

Included among General Telephone supervisory employees from many areas of the state in the three-day training session were: Marvin Hallet of Route 2, Box 2099, Grayling, engineering and construction supervisor and Hugh Anderson of Route 1, 469F, Roscommon, engineering and construction supervisor.

The course is designed to help supervisors gain skill and confidence in dealing with personnel problems, employee grievances, and in properly interpreting and administering the company's collective bargaining agreement. The course is a part of General Telephone's continuing effort to provide better telephone service through well-informed, highly skilled employees.

## Pack 993 News

Though we are late, we are still here. January was inspection month. We had a very good turn out and an excellent inspection. We seem to think that holding inspection before the Pack Meeting is a lot better than holding it during the meeting. What do you think?

Our inspectors were Ken Carle, Assistant District Commissioner; Earl Whaley, Neighborhood Commissioner; Dave MacLean, Troop 997 Scoutmaster; Bruce Babbitt, Frederick Cubmaster; Loren Goodale and Vern Hoag, Webelos Leaders.

February is Blue and Gold Banquet month. It will be held on Feb. 21 at 6:30 p. m. in the Elementary School Gym. Den Mothers will be calling you so we can have rounded out menus. Entertainment will be given by a few parents doing skits.

Feb. 8 is also the Boy Scout's Birthday. We are celebrating sixty four years of scouting! February 10 is Scout Sunday. We urge all boys, both Cub and Scouts, to attend church in uniform. Some of our churches are having special Scout Services where boys are taking an active part as ushers, readers, etc.

On Friday, Feb. 8 from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. and Saturday, Feb. 9 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Scout Troop 997 will be holding a White Elephant and Bake Sale at the old Corner Store in Grayling. If you would like to donate any useable items, drop them off at 406 Peninsula or call 348-7145 or 348-9845 and they will be picked up.

LeRoy Rettell

## Vikings Skiers Defeat Boyne City

The Vikings boys ski team remain undefeated and on top of the Huron Shores ski competition.

The Vikings won the Slalom event by 6 seconds, with totals of 226.2 against Boyne's 226.8. The meet was still anyone as the lead swapped hands as skiers finished the Giant Slalom event. Boyne City found the depth of the Vikings just too much as the Vikings won the Giant Slalom by 2.7 seconds, 125.2 for Grayling and 127.9 for Boyne. Only Cheboygan has a chance to stop the Vikings from a perfect dual meet season.

Top Skier was Sophomore Herb Olsen with a combined place of 3rd in the meet with 3rd in slalom and 5th in Giant Slalom. Kevin Zimmerman was 1 second behind with 4th combined with 4th in Slalom and 3rd in Giant Slalom. Kevin Sloan was 5th overall with a 5th and 6th and Dennis Theaker was 6th combined with 6th in Slalom and Giant Slalom. Dave King placed 11th combined with 11th in Slalom and 4th in Giant Slalom. Tom Vajda finished 12th with 12th in Slalom and 9th in Giant Slalom.

The Viking Girls lost to Boyne City by times of 312.4 seconds for Boyne and 373.1 for Grayling.

Paula Hunter placed 5th combined with 6th in Slalom and 4th in Giant Slalom. Julie Goss finished 6th combined with 8th in Slalom and 2nd in Giant Slalom. Karen Graham placed 7th combined with a 9th and 8th. Tanya Sojka 8th combined with 7th in Slalom and 10th in Giant Slalom. Wendy Gee placed 9th overall with 10th in Slalom and 9th in Giant Slalom.

The Viking ski team will put on a racing demonstration and

a Hot Dogging Ski Show Saturday morning.

Regional Competition is at Sugar Loaf Mountain, Cedar, Michigan, Friday, February 15. Top regional teams this year could include Traverse City Central, Cadillac and hopefully Grayling.

## Obituaries

### Services Held For Leonard Knibbs, 55

Funeral services for Leonard Knibbs, 55, of 701 Peninsular, Grayling, were held Thursday at Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church with Rev. Paul C. Frederick officiating. Burial will be in the Maple Forest Township Cemetery in the spring. Mr. Knibbs died at Mercy Hospital Monday, January 28.

He was born April 29, 1918 in Maple Forest Township, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Knibbs. He was a member of Michelson Memorial Church, Masonic Lodge 356, Kiwanis Club, American Legion Post 106 and formerly of the Elks. He attended Grayling High School and Central Michigan University and was a carpenter by trade. He was a Captain in the Air Force in the Pacific during World War II, Communication Officer in Japan during the Korean Conflict, returning to Grayling in 1953. He was a former city councilman and was currently serving as Vice-Chairman of the County Board of Commissioners.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Jane; one son, James, of Grayling; three daughters, Linda Knibbs, of Champaign, Ill., Mrs. Nancy Rosenberg, of Grayling, and Holly Knibbs, of Grayling; two brothers, James Knibbs, of Roscommon, and Kenneth Gray, of Newaygo; also, one sister, Mrs. Fritz (Laura) Bertl, of Roscommon.

### Former Resident Dies In Florida

Van Zile Phelps Smith, 80, of 114 S. Indian Rocks Rd., Largo, Florida, died Sunday, January 27 in Florida. He was a former Detroit policeman and moved to Florida in 1959 from Grayling.

He was a Navy veteran of World War I, a life member of Grayling Masonic Lodge 356 F & AM, a member of Police Lieutenants and Sergeants of Detroit, World War I Veterans 1278, Detroit VFW Barracks 269 of Clearwater and Police Club of Florida.

He is survived by his wife, Helen; two sons, Leslie of Lakeland, Fla. & Kenneth of Detroit; and four grandchildren.

## Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Duane R. Jochims, of Lake Margrethe, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Debra Ann to John W. Kesby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kesby, of Frederic. A September wedding is being planned.

### Note of Thanks

A special thanks to Viking Tumblers: Dennis, Curt, Dean, Janet, Jody, Julie, Yvonne, and Maureen, for putting on a mat demonstration as part of our 4-H program. The Sewing Club, by Julie Stephenson.

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## CIVIL AIR PATROL

Members of Group 17 and the Roscommon Composite Squadron 17-3, Civil Air Patrol, attended the Michigan Wing Conference in Lansing on Sunday, January 27, 1974.

The members attending were: 1st Lt. Dale Mead, Roscommon, Group Commander; 1st Lt. John Selesky, Rose City, Deputy Group Commander; Captain Raymond Snyder, Roscommon, Group Communication Officer and Captain Kenneth Westphal, Roscommon, Commander, Squadron 17-3.

The conference was to discuss new plans and procedures for the coming year.

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"Help Me Read"

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HOW DOES VOLUNTEER AID HELP EVERYONE?

Most of all a volunteer aid helps the student — in a variety of ways.

1. by showing the student that adults DO CARE about schools and who are in them.

2. by working with a student on a one-to-one basis providing more individual attention.

3. by giving students a chance to meet and work with other adults besides one or more teachers during a day.

4. as adult friends from the community, they teach students more about skills people use to make a living, their ideas and viewpoints, the world itself.

A volunteer helps the teacher by relieving the teacher of many necessary chores which take up time that could be used for more important educational purposes... the Administrator by assisting with office detail... as well as the community by improving pupil-adult ratio in the classroom, and helping students better understand their community.

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QUALIFICATIONS? MAINLY, a volunteer aid must possess a desire to want to help children grow, to enjoy them, to get along with people, to understand the goals of the school and be adaptable, dependable and in good health.

HOW ABOUT TRAINING? Generally, you will receive... Orientation: learning the ropes about the school, its policies, operation, rules, your job as part of the team.

Basic Skills: depending on the job you'll be doing — clerical, child behavior, and teaching methods.

Special Training: if needed in use of audio-visual equipment, tutoring techniques, etc.

AS A VOLUNTEER AID YOU WILL BE WORKING WITH A TEACHER OR OTHER PROFESSIONAL WHO WILL HELP YOU WITH PROBLEMS AS NEEDED.

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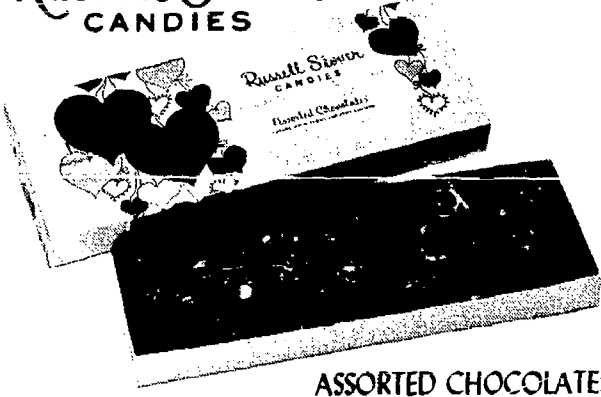
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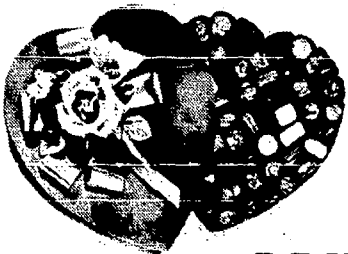
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## your week ahead BY DR. A.W. DAMIS

Forecast Period: February 10 - February 16

- ARIES**  
Mar. 21 - Apr. 19  
Here we go again! It seems as though many members of your sign will permit . . . pleasure and the thoughts of the opposite sex to interfere with daily chores.
- TAURUS**  
Apr. 20 - May 20  
Favorable aspects hover over your chart. Apparently, a previously developed skill or aptitude will come into play, during this week's cosmic cycle. Oh yes! Overtures from the opposite sex are probable.
- GEMINI**  
May 21 - June 20  
Avoid old, very old emotional ties. Apparently, in affairs of the heart, you are heading toward a situation that promotes systemized self-deceit. Don't duplicate past errors with the opposite sex.
- MOONCHILD**  
June 21 - July 22  
Apparently, an associate or close friend is about to throw away security for a short gain. In one form or another, you will be affected.
- LEO**  
July 23 - Aug. 22  
You can't kid stellar patterns. The truth of the matter is: You are going to blame someone else for your own shortcomings.
- VIRGO**  
Aug. 23 - Sept. 22  
Don't get the wrong idea! Your chart isn't telling you to run from your problems, nonetheless, it would be a good idea to ignore outside pressures, heading your way.
- LIBRA**  
Sept. 23 - Oct. 22  
It's a fact of life, some members of your sign are in the initial stage of becoming involved in a triangle. Subtle overtures show in your chart.
- SCORPIO**  
Oct. 23 - Nov. 21  
Don't commit yourself beyond reasonable performance; especially, in affairs of the heart. A member of the opposite sex, will attempt to manipulate you.
- SAGITTARIUS**  
Nov. 22 - Dec. 21  
There's not much in the way of excitement, this week. It's worth mentioning, however . . . You will have the chance to say "I told you so."
- CAPRICORN**  
Dec. 22 - Jan. 19  
Put wishful thinking where it belongs. Apparently an associate will approach you with a "Hare brain" scheme. It's "steady as she goes," with your plans.
- AQUARIUS**  
Jan. 20 - Feb. 18  
Past mistakes and beliefs might return to plague your present relationship with the opposite sex. Avoid talk of by-gone days and rebash.
- PISCES**  
Feb. 19 - Mar. 20  
A series of events will trigger plans that have long been held in the far dark corners of your mind. Meaning? Probably a dream, or so, will come true!

### PERSONALITY PROFILE

For your Sun Sign Analysis, send the day, month, year and place of birth, plus \$1.00 for postage and handling to Dr. Andrew W. Damis, P. O. Box 12766, St. Petersburg, Florida 33733.

### from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

Mary, Queen of Scots, was beheaded on February 8, 1587.  
On February 9, 1861, Jefferson Davis was elected president of the Confederacy.  
Queen Victoria was married on February 10, 1840.  
Thomas A. Edison, famous American inventor, was born on February 11, 1847.  
February 12, 1809, was the birth date of Abraham Lincoln, 16th President of the United States.  
"The Blue Danube Waltz" was first conducted publicly by Johann Strauss on February 13, 1867.  
On February 14, 1859, Oregon was admitted into the Union.

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6. Cling to	6. Kirghiz, U.S.S.R. city
7. Greek letter	7. Thomas Mann work (3 wds.)
8. Go apace	8. At this time
9. Barnyard denizen	9. Negative contraction
10. Intellectual	10. Hungry
11. Gravy	11. Not make it
12. Legal document	12. Assailed (2 wds.)
13. Kitchen staple	13. Red brother's shelter
14. Evian or Vichy	14. Nobleman
15. Well	15. Skidoo!
16. Proof-reader's word	16. Go
17. Miss Ponselle	17. Immediately (2 wds.)
18. Feminine suffix	18. Out (beat)
19. Descendant of one of Jacob's sons	19. Perished
20. Burmese knife	20. Growing outward
21. Objective	21. Asseverate
22. Sine qua	22. Opposite of WSW
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# "M" is for the Mothers March She's Putting All Together

By VERA TOMASSON

You don't have to be a mother to lead a March of Dimes Mothers March. Lucrezia Cesarini, a public school principal in Yonkers, N.Y., is a Miss with a mission—making people aware of the problem of birth defects.

Because of her outstanding volunteer work through the years, as a walker in Walkathons, as an envelope stuffer and coin "shaker" in various campaigns, Miss Cesarini was named Mothers March co-chairman for the Yonkers Chapter.

"The mothers in our district all know me because I work with their children and I'm active in the church," the school administrator noted. "So when I call and ask them to devote their time to the cause of infant and child health, I usually get cooperation."

Now in its 24th year of campaigning against crippling childhood diseases, the March of Dimes is a major support for National Foundation-March of Dimes research and medical service programs. The house-to-house visits are also an important help in educating the public about prevention and treatment of birth defects.

## Educational Appeal

To acquaint their neighbors with developments in these areas, marching mothers this year are distributing a flyer called "A Time to Be Born or a Time to Die." It concentrates on the role of the voluntary health organization in prevention through research and prenatal care, especially for high-risk pregnancies, and intensive



Two-year-old Nancy McCrudden wants to lend a hand as her mother, Pat McCrudden (left) and Lucrezia Cesarini plan their route for the March of Dimes Mothers March. Although she has no children of her own, Miss Cesarini, a school administrator, calls March of Dimes her "principal" concern.

care of the critically ill newborn.

Miss Cesarini and her co-chairwoman, Pat McCrudden, have worked out some excellent preparatory plans.

"It is our aim to have people do their homework about birth defects before anyone rings their doorbell," the energetic educator says. The campaign workers will therefore be frequenting the local shopping centers, reaching people with literature as they do their Christmas shopping.

"We'll be putting some love notes under their windshield wipers," Miss Cesarini says, "to remind them that not every family is as lucky as theirs, and to give them an understanding of how the March of

Dimes is helping those who are afflicted."

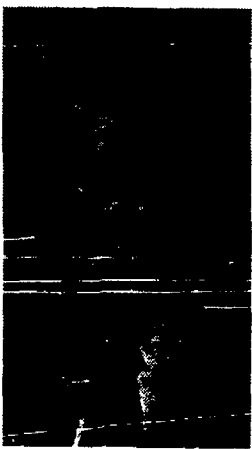
## Sharing Concern

To reward the marching mothers after the campaign, the co-chairmen plan a gala "thank you" tea party.

"Many of the mothers became involved, because they have a child with a birth defect, or someone close to them did," Miss Cesarini says. "The party, then, will not only be a way of thanking the mothers for giving their time, but it will be a chance to share experiences and to feel that they are not alone."

No, you don't have to be a mother to lead a Mothers March. You just have to believe in what you're doing.

## New MPA Head



New president of Michigan Press Association is Henry M. Hogan Jr., publisher of the Birmingham Eccentric.

Other officers elected at MPA's 106th annual convention at Kellogg Center in East Lansing: Philip L. Richards, Alpena News, president-elect; Melvin E. Reich, Romeo Observer, vice president; Daniel M. Ryan, Kalamazoo Gazette, treasurer; Elmer E. White, executive secretary.

Grattan Gray, Monroe News, became immediate past president and remains a member of the board of directors.

Re-elected to the board are Boyd Simmons, Detroit News; James A. Sherman, Oxford Leader; Albert Schaller, Petoskey News-Review; Michael Kitz, Muskegon News. Newly elected to the board is Herb Levin, Sault Ste. Marie News.

The convention was climaxed by the 33rd "All Michigan Dinner," co-sponsored by the Michigan Department of Agriculture. This dinner is nationally famous because only food grown or produced in Michigan (except coffee and tea) is served. This year the menu featured Polish dishes and the program included Polish dancers as well as appearances of Polish-American leaders. It is the first of several dinners planned which pay respects to ethnic groups which have settled in Michigan and brought with them their traditional dishes.



PEOPLE POWER... People are turning to human-powered vehicles not just because of the energy crisis but because it's just a fun way to get around, as these folks show on the Galveston, Texas beach. Bike shops on the island report a booming rental business.

## SUNDAY'S SERMON

### Our World Of Plenty

In a world of plenty in which we live, we should not let ourselves forget from whence the blessings came. Sure, there might be shortages of certain things, but still we live in a world of plenty.

When the richness of life surrounds us, we should remember God and give thanks. It is all too often that we speak to God only in time of dire need and supplication. But now is the time - this very moment - to praise God and thank Him for the many blessings, bounties and joys He has given us.

Any time, any season we can see all around us the beauty of God's creation and the happiness and the peace God has sent into the lives of those who believe in Him.

We might have shortages of material things from time to time, but there are never any shortages as far as God's love for us is concerned. Speak to God and thank Him - He will bestow many blessings upon you. Now's the time.

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## LOOKING AT 1974

Will Hope Replace Cynicism and Apathy?

By  
Patrick Dudgeon  
Staff Writer  
Community Press

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The writer is 30 years old, graduate of the University of Notre Dame, served as an Ensign in the U. S. Navy. His commentary does not necessarily reflect the ideas or opinions of the management or staff of this newspaper; it is presented for what it is - the views of one member of a generation group which has seen many changes in our society, our nation, and our world.)

1974 is moving on. The United States is now only two years away from its 200th anniversary. But are things working out the way we had planned? In general, I mean. With a new crisis greeting us on the national level almost daily now, it is not hard to believe that as a country we are at the least becoming a bit tense. I don't have the latest poll at hand but as I look ahead into the new year I have this "feeling." Cynicism and apathy are running rampant in our society. I can't document it for you, it's just an impression. If it's true I have some thoughts on why.

From the fence on which I sit our two devils can be traced to the tumultuous times of the last decade. A significant segment of the population has been so drastically influenced by the events of the sixties and early seventies that they still remain unsettled and unsure about their present situation and direction. For them the goals of this society have proven to be in error enough that they must be seriously questioned. Vietnam. Watergate. The list is familiar to us all. The disaffected multitudes aren't just the rebellious students, the draft evaders and the peacekeepers of the '60s. Many went along with the war and other acknowledged societal aims until recently. And now they doubt themselves and the goals of their society.

## The Outlook

Alienation. Apathy. Cynicism. Secrecy. Distrust. Evil forces to be sure. Sadly enough they may be so inextricably interwoven throughout the fabric of our society that 1974 isn't such a cheery prospect after all. Because of these phenomenon a sizeable number of people are not actively participating in their society. Not too long ago many observers thought there was a real threat of revolution in this country. Others saw such thinking as an excuse for government intervention and takeover. Those notions have been mostly dispelled. Now the call is to work within the system. Sounds easy enough. Why then is it so difficult for so many to join and do so?

The answer to that question is not an easy one. It is conceivable to me that the manners, mores, ways of living and values of so many have been changed so much by past events that conventional ways of working within seem hopeless to them. In other words they are unable to adjust their newly formed personal habits and preferences to the task of changing the institutions and bureaucracies they now question.

It is obvious to even the most disinterested party that present day politics are presently a source of deep disenchantment to millions of Americans. Corruption seems widespread. Cynicism and apathy feed off that vice. Leadership is thought by many to be sorely lacking. Numerous laws are held to benefit only the rich. And the list goes on into 1974!

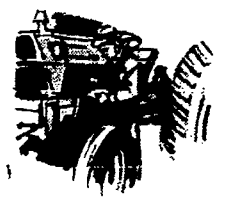
Regardless of the ills that may beset our nation, perhaps now is the time for hope. We can hope that the true American spirit will be revived through new and more effective leadership. We can hope that our love for consumption and possessions will be tempered by a deeper appreciation of available resources. We can hope that secrecy will be replaced by openness and distrust by honesty. We can hope that cooperation will displace alienation. Credibility will supersede cynicism. Perhaps constructive action will supplant apathy. Maybe 1974 is the year these and other things will begin to happen. If so, my guess is that those millions of disaffected citizens along with their fellow countrymen will have a most Happy Year.



"Kick the Sweet Snack Habit," this year's slogan for Children's Dental Health Week, Feb. 3-9, gets a boost from The Reverend Mother Charleszetta Waddles, honorary chairwoman of the event for the Michigan Dental Association. Mother Waddles is the founder and director of the Perpetual Mission in Detroit. In a get-together at the Mission, youngsters illustrate the message and don't appear too unhappy at the thought of giving up sweets in the interest of better dental health. They are, L. to R., Douglas Lewis, Robert Stokes, Linda Silberman, Latany Burtou, Brad Beaver and Shari Beaver. Standing beside Mother Waddles is Dr. Harvey A. Beaver, M.D. chairman for the Week.

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Wednesday: Goulash, Vegetable, Bread and Butter, Fruit.  
Thursday: Hamburg Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Vegetable, Bread and Butter, Mixed Fruit, Cake.

Friday: Tuna Noodle Casserole, Vegetable, Hot Rolls and Butter, Jello.  
Milk is served daily. Menu is subject to change without notice.

## CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank Dr. Dosch, Dr. Buckley and the nurses for the care I received; also, all my friends and relatives for cards during my stay in the hospital.

Ora Ingalls

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## Pre - Game

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connection with the local service clubs' activities. Suddenly Kiwanian Ted "Swamp Breath" Carlson leaped to his feet and accused Rotarian Jim "Snake Hips" Duley of hoarding all of the available oxygen bottles and resuscitators in the area. With "Snake Hips" reply of "Your mother wears combat boots," a pitch battle ensued.

The meeting resumed in cell blocks 4 and 6 and was adjourned when all parties were able to post bond. Pictured above are Rotarians Dale "Dunk" Nicholas, John "Mad Dog" Huss, Paul "Reverend Leroy" Frederick, Jim "Snake Hips" Duley and Kiwanians Don "Flush" Jansen, Ted "Swamp Breath" Carlson, Bill "Stretch" Denton, Charles "Oil Can" Fick and Referee Mike "The Enforcer" Branch.

## Basketball

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6 each, and John Tobin, Don Weaver and Neil Doty with 2 each.

Kim Budnick with 15 and Mark Belusar 12, were in double digits for the Hurons. The Vikings JV's also split in their last two outings, but in reverse to the varsity, when they defeated Kalkaska 37-32, and then were dumped by Rogers City, 62-46.

Grayling had little trouble with Kasky as they led 22-9 at half-time, and then coasted to victory. With the little Hurons it was in reverse, the local squad led 7-4 at the end of the first quarter, fell behind 20-14 at half-time, with the visitors taking the last half by a 42-32 margin.

Justin Potter led the attack against Kalkaska with 17 points, followed by Craig Hinkle hitting for 11. Scott Montague 7 and John Hoffman 2.

Potter was again high for coach Howard Lehti's squad Friday when he hit for 19, followed right behind by Hinkle with 18. Rick Good added 4, Montague and Hoffman with 2 each, and Brian Hulbert 1.

## BITS O' TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Douglas, of Traverse City, formerly of Grayling, returned home Sunday, January 27, from a vacation trip to the Hawaiian Islands.

Ora Ingalls is convalescing at the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller, after spending some time in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook (Karen Lowrie), of Lansing, are the proud parents of a daughter, Amy Lynn, born January 22, 1974, weighing 6 lbs., and 8 ozs. Grandparents of Amy are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lowrie, of Grayling, and Mr. and Mrs. James Cook, of Lansing. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stephan, of Grayling.

Visiting their parents, the Arthur Carlsons, weekend before last were their daughter and son-in-law, Julie and Rod Powers, of Hart, and their daughter, Christine Olson, and baby, Jennifer, of Mattawan. Also guests over the weekend were Mrs. Richard (Darlene Portwood) Speaker and daughter, Karen, of Hudson.

## Mercy Hospital News

The following are among the patients at Mercy Hospital this week: Loma Adams, Clarence Clippert, Liwyn Doremire, Eleanor Filley, Martha Gauthier, Elaine Halstead, Jane Hanson, Hoiger Hanson, Tanya Johnson, Ernest Larson, Maggie Leverton, Anthony Nelson, Allie Post, Beatrice Thayer, Michael Wakeley, Ruth Wyman and Leah Yocer, all of Grayling.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Halstead of Grayling on February 2, a daughter, Melissa Ann, weighing 6 lbs. 11½ ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adams are the parents of a daughter, Terra Ruth, born February 2, and weighing 5 lbs. 15½ ozs.

## NEW PHONE NUMBER

The new phone number for the Office of Christian Education is 348-7637.

## River Country

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York, you can expect a lot of confusion, an unsolicited appearance of the Headless Horseman, and a lot of terrified screams from the characters, not to mention the audience in this are-there-or-aren't-there jaunt through the superstition-ridden environs of Washington Irving country.

Shown rehearsing a scene from Act 1 are from left to right Norma Naour (Bonnie) Sandy Kelly (Nora) and Jerry Hayes (Gunther).

Performances are scheduled for the first and second of March in the Joseph Stripe auditorium. Tickets will be on sale February 18th and may be purchased at the Grayling Mercantile Co.

## M M Church

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Paul Frederick, Second, personal contacts by members of the congregation inviting some less active members to return. Third, the 'children's choir' and 'adult choir' alternating between the 8:30 and 11:00 services.

Rev. Frederick stated that one additional part of the program will allow members of the congregation and interested individuals in the community to judge the success of the month long effort.

A large photograph of the church has been made and will be cut up such that each member will receive a piece approximately the size of a post card. These will be brought back to the church on Sunday mornings in an attempt to recreate the original picture.

Rev. Frederick stated: "This should help point out to the congregation that Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church can't be a complete church without all its members, and additionally, just how close the type of effort we are making in February is bringing us toward that goal."

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## Scouts to Hold Bake-Rummage Sale, Feb. 8-9

Grayling's Boy Scout Troop 997 will hold a bake and rummage sale in the Corner Store (By the Stop Light) this weekend. Hours will be from 5 to 9 P.M. Friday evening, February 8, and from 10 A.M. till 5 P.M. Saturday, the 9th. Donations will be accepted for a wide variety of items offered. Homemade cookies, cakes, fudge, and bread will highlight the "goodies" department. Scout leaders ask that the public shop early for these items, before the Scouts eat up all the profits!

New merchandise available will include, among other things, the 16" long barbecue tongs that were so well received when the Cub Scouts sold them several years ago, flares, fire extinguishers, all occasion cards, stationery, and crafts. Used items will span the alphabet from bikes to toys and tools, and even a car (the kind dad drives).

Anyone wishing to donate good rummage items is asked to bring them directly to the Corner Store Friday night or early Saturday, or they may be dropped off at Whaley's (603 Michigan) or Rettell's (406 Peninsula) prior to the sale.

Funds realized from this activity will activate Troop 997's camping and equipment funds, which are now completely depleted. The boys appreciate your support.

Earl Whaley, I.R.

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1st Monday: River Country Players meet at Chief Shoppenagons at 7:30.  
2nd and 4th Thursday: Eagles club meets at American Legion Hall at 8:00 p.m.  
2nd and 4th Thurs.: Eagles Auxiliary meeting at Grayling Sportsman Club, 8:00 p.m.  
Feb. 7: Pack 993 Pack meeting, 7:30 p.m., Mich. Consolidated Gas Co.  
Feb. 7: Grayling Masonic Lodge No. 356 F & AM. Regular Communication at 7:30.  
Feb. 14th, Frederic Home Corp. ing meeting 8:00 p.m. Frederic Sportsmen Club.  
Feb. 19th, A.B.W.A. meeting, 6:30 p.m. Chief Shoppenagons.

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